

KAISER EXPECTED TO DECLARE WAR ON ITALY TONIGHT GERMANS DISLODGE DEFENDERS OF TWO LIEGE FORTS MRS. WOODROW WILSON REPORTED AT DEATH'S DOOR

MRS. WILSON DYING IS WORD AT 3:30 THIS AFTERNOON

Few Hours—Perhaps a Few Minutes—Will See the End is White House Story

ON VERGE OF COMA ALL NIGHT President Constantly at Her Bedside and has Cancelled all of His Engagements

HAD OPERATION IN LAST MARCH

Illness Grew Out of After-effects of Slight Fall Upon Floor of the White House

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Mrs. Wilson, wife of the president, was reported at 3:30 p. m. to be dying. Complete confirmation was lacking because all relatives and attaches were inside the mansion. Her death was said to be but a matter of a few hours, possibly a few minutes. Oxygen and saline injections were said to have been resorted to in a last desperate effort to keep her



MRS. WOODROW WILSON
Wife of president whose life is despaired of.

alive. She was said to be unconscious and sinking rapidly. The president and her daughters and a few relatives able to reach her, were at her bedside.

Since morning Mrs. Wilson's life has hung by a slender thread. The first bulletin regarding her condition, issued at 7 a. m. stated that she had experienced a slight rally early this morning after a fairly restful night, but that little hope for her recovery was entertained.

At 8:45 it was said her condition showed "slight improvement." Mrs. Wilson has been continually lapsing from consciousness into a state of coma all night and this morning. Physicians are adopting heroic measures in an effort to keep her conscious. Oxygen was used to stimulate her heart action.

Wilson at Bedside
The president today cancelled all engagements, to remain at the bedside of his wife every moment. He spent an all-night vigil at her bedside. It was reported that he snatched a few hours of broken rest on a couch in an adjacent room. He did not remove his clothing all night.

Dr. Cary Grayson, the president's aide and physician, also spent the entire night in the sick room, assisted by Dr. R. M. Kennedy of the navy. The latter had charge of administering artificial stimulants.

A consultation of the entire staff of attending physicians, six in all, was ordered at an early hour today. They consist of Drs. Grayson, Kennedy, and Drs. Edward Parke Davis and F. R. Dercumb of Philadelphia, and Dr. Thomas Brown and Dr. Barker, celebrated specialists, of Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore. Dr. Grayson expressed hope early this morning that the crisis reached during the night and continuing early today, might be safely passed for a few days. It was stated that Mrs. Wilson, through the aid of stimulants, might linger several days. Her emaciated and generally weakened condition, however, militated against such hope. She is but a shadow of her former robust self.

Fell Last March
After-effects of a fall Mrs. Wilson sustained on a slippery floor in the White House last March, compelling a slight operation upon her spine, which caused a complication of nervous diseases, stomach trouble and

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"Whys" of European War Moves Explained By Military Expert

The accompanying review of the European war situation is the first of a series of articles which will be printed during the war by The Tribune. They will contain a daily review of the war activities by J. W. T. Mason, a recognized authority on matters military in Europe. As representative of the United Press in Europe Mr. Mason made an exhaustive study of the preparations of all the European nations for the big conflict, and he speaks with authority.—The Editor.

BY J. W. T. MASON.
NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Today's lull in the fighting at Liege is probably due to the necessity for summoning reinforcements to assist the German attack. This breathing space gives the French troops time to join the Belgian forces. A French detachment has crossed from Lille, one of France's army corps centers, to the Belgian military frontiers of Tournai. It is doubtless being moved up in reserve for the fighting at Liege, 100 miles distant. Half way between Tournai and Liege is Waterloo, the last great European battlefield. It may be the scene of another bloody conflict if the Germans fight their way across the Meuse river and proceed to Brussels.

The importance to Germany of seizing the Meuse defenses before moving into France is due to the necessity for guarding against a flank and rear attack. With Belgium and France allies, a practically continuous half moon of fortifications and military centers exist from Lille, by way of Valenciennes, Mons, Namur and Huy to Liege. This forms a wall of about 100 miles, and unless its back is broken there would be grave risk to any German army advancing into France through eastern Belgium.

If the Belgians must retreat before the German advance, they will be in a quandary. Should they move westward and make a stand for the safety of Brussels at Waterloo, or some other nearby spot, defeat might mean the bottling up of the Belgian army for the rest of the war. The German army undoubtedly would try to entice the Belgians into moving nearer their capital to defend it, and then,

by an overwhelming movement, force them into Antwerp, the only strong fortress left. Once in Antwerp, the Belgians would have as great difficulty getting out as the Germans getting in. If Belgium is to go through the war to the end, the army will have to conduct its retreat toward the southwest should the Meuse defenders fail. This would allow a battle to be fought at Waterloo, for the safety of Brussels, but in case of defeat, the Belgians must be prepared to abandon their capital and move southward into France, not further into their own country.

It is well to issue a warning, however, that we have not heard Germany's side of the fighting. While there can be no question of a German defeat at Liege, we are without news concerning other movements of the kaiser's forces. It is known that the Belgians ventured out to Spa, seventeen miles southeast of Liege, and there destroyed two German regiments. We have not a word of the reason why this fifteen miles was left open to the Belgian troops and why there were no German regiments to cut off their retreat. Does this mean another German miscalculation or is it because we have not the German side of the story?

There will be few greater surprises during the calls of European guns than has come to Germany through Belgium's heroic resistance against the invaders of her neutrality.

Germans have always regarded Belgium as no more than an incidental bite on the way to the great war banquet before Paris. The surprise of the general staff of Berlin must have been commensurate with the astonishment of British officers at the military powers of the American colonies when the revolutionary war began.

Belgian military engineers have been constructing defenses along the Meuse river, centering at Liege, for ten years, but Germany thought they would not be of great value because the men inside the defenses would not fight. This mistake has lost Germany the first victory in the war. Should Germany's other plans go so far astray the war won't last long.

GERMANS DRIVE IN DEFENDERS OF OUTER WORKS

Come Back From Yesterday's Repulse and Lay Siege to Liege

BATTLE BECOMES MOST FIERCE

German Artillery Effective Against Fortifications of Belgian City

BELGIANS SAY FOE LOST 10,000
Says German Killed and Wounded at Vise Alone Were More Than 3,500

BRUSSELS, Aug. 6.—The Germans sustained another crushing defeat this afternoon. For the second time in twelve hours a regiment of Uhlans tried to penetrate the Belgian defenses. Belgian infantry and cavalry operated together against the Uhlans invaders and the entire regiment was annihilated. More than half the total strength was killed or wounded and the remainder was taken prisoner.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 6.—The real battle of Liege began at day-break today and still continues. The German forces are now said to number nearly 100,000 men under the command of the crown prince in person, aided by several of the highest officers of the general staff. Up to the present the Belgian advantage has been maintained and the loss to the enemy enormous. The German attacking forces are displaying desperate courage, but their efforts are useless in the face of the withering fire that the Belgian garrisons are able to maintain from their alt-

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SENTIMENT FOR MORRIS GROWING

Lieut.-Governor Now Touring Eastern Counties and Receiving Monster Receptions

ROUTE IS ANNOUNCED TODAY

Senator George E. Scott, in Charge of Madison Headquarters Says He is Sure Winner

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 6.—Senator George E. Scott, who is assisting the Morris senatorial campaign committee here, has given out the following itinerary for Lieut. Gov. Thomas Morris for the remainder of the week:

Thursday: Columbia county, 10 a. m.; Arlington, 11 a. m.; Foyette, 12 m.; Doylestown, 2 p. m.; Rio, 3 p. m.; Wyocena, 4 p. m.; Pardeeville, 5 p. m.

Friday: Cambria, Markesan, Princeton, Berlin, Ripon.

Mr. Morris will make several points in Fond du Lac county on Saturday, with a night meeting at Fond du Lac.

On his trip through Columbia county Mr. Morris will be accompanied by former Senator George Wylie, Dr. S. F. Verbeke, A. A. Porter, member of the republican state central committee, County Chairman E. S. Baker, former Assemblyman E. E. Haight and others. Among those to accompany him through Green Lake county will be Assemblyman Newcomb Spoor, and in Fond du Lac county he will be accompanied by Assemblyman W. F. Sommerfeld, former Assemblyman Roy Reed, County Chairman Roy L. Morse, and others.

"Mr. Morris is receiving evidence of support on his automobile trips that give assurance of solid progressive republican support in the primary," said Senator Scott. "The reports from other sources also indicate that the progressives will not be led away from the fact that the principles of progressive republicanism are the issue in this campaign."

ITALY REFUSES TO OBEY GERMAN ORDER TO TAKE THE FIELD

War Bulletins

PARIS, Aug. 6.—It is officially announced that Norway has notified France that she will defend her neutrality in spite of all threats from Germany. Roumania has called her three youngest classes of soldiers to the colors to enforce her neutrality.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Daily Mail correspondent cables that the German cruiser Emden and the Russian cruiser Askold fought off Wia Hai Wei, China, this afternoon. Both cruisers are reported by the correspondent to have sunk.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Orders were issued today by Ambassador Dumba to all Austrian consulates to obtain no more recruits for the Austrian army. The secretary of chancery said it would be impossible to send the men home after they reached Atlantic ports because of the neutrality proclamation.

ROME, Aug. 6.—Dispatches from Nish say Serbia will henceforth assume the aggressive against Austria. Serbian troops have already established a temporary base at Lelamine. Austria. The Austrian troops reported not yet to have succeeded in crossing the river Save.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Uncle Sam's official treasure ship, the cruiser Tennessee, waited off Tomkinsville today for orders from Washington to sail for Europe. She has aboard nearly ten million in gold. Of this \$2,500,000 is money appropriated by congress. The remainder comprises shipments by bankers or private citizens. Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge is nominally in charge of the relief work.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—J. P. Morgan & Co. have been appointed to act

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KING GIVEN UP TO MIDNIGHT TO DECIDE ATTITUDE

"Must Be With Us or Against Us," German Emperor is Said to Have Told Chancellor

HOLD CONFLICT IS NOT DEFENSE

If Germany Declares War on Italy as is Expected Latter Will Fight Against Austria

ITALY STRONG AGAINST OLD ALLY

Sentiment of the Southern Kingdom is Increasingly Opposed to the Austrians

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Triple Alliance is broken. The Kaiser is expected to declare war on Italy after midnight this evening, when the time of an ultimatum sent to his former ally today, expires. Italy has sent word to the other powers this evening that she had no intention of complying with Germany's demand that she must throw her army and navy in the field to help the Kaiser in his fight against Europe. She repeated her declaration of neutrality.

If Germany declares war on Italy, the latter country will immediately declare war on the third member of the "Dreibund," Austria. The anti-Austrian feeling throughout Italy has been steadily growing.

An ultimatum has been sent to King Victor Emmanuel in which Italy is called upon to live up to her obligations under the triple alliance. To the Italian foreign office Germany has insisted that France was the aggressor in the war now in progress and that Italy is bound to aid Germany in defense of her honor.

"Italy must either be with us or against us," the Kaiser is reported to have declared to Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg. Believe Italy Will Defy Kaiser. Definite information has reached the foreign office that Kaiser Wilhelm has served an ultimatum which expires at midnight tonight. He demands that Italy either keep her pledged word and come to the assistance of Germany or she will be included with the Kaiser's enemies and Germany will declare war on her. The foreign office believes that Italy will refuse and will accept the Kaiser's gage of battle.

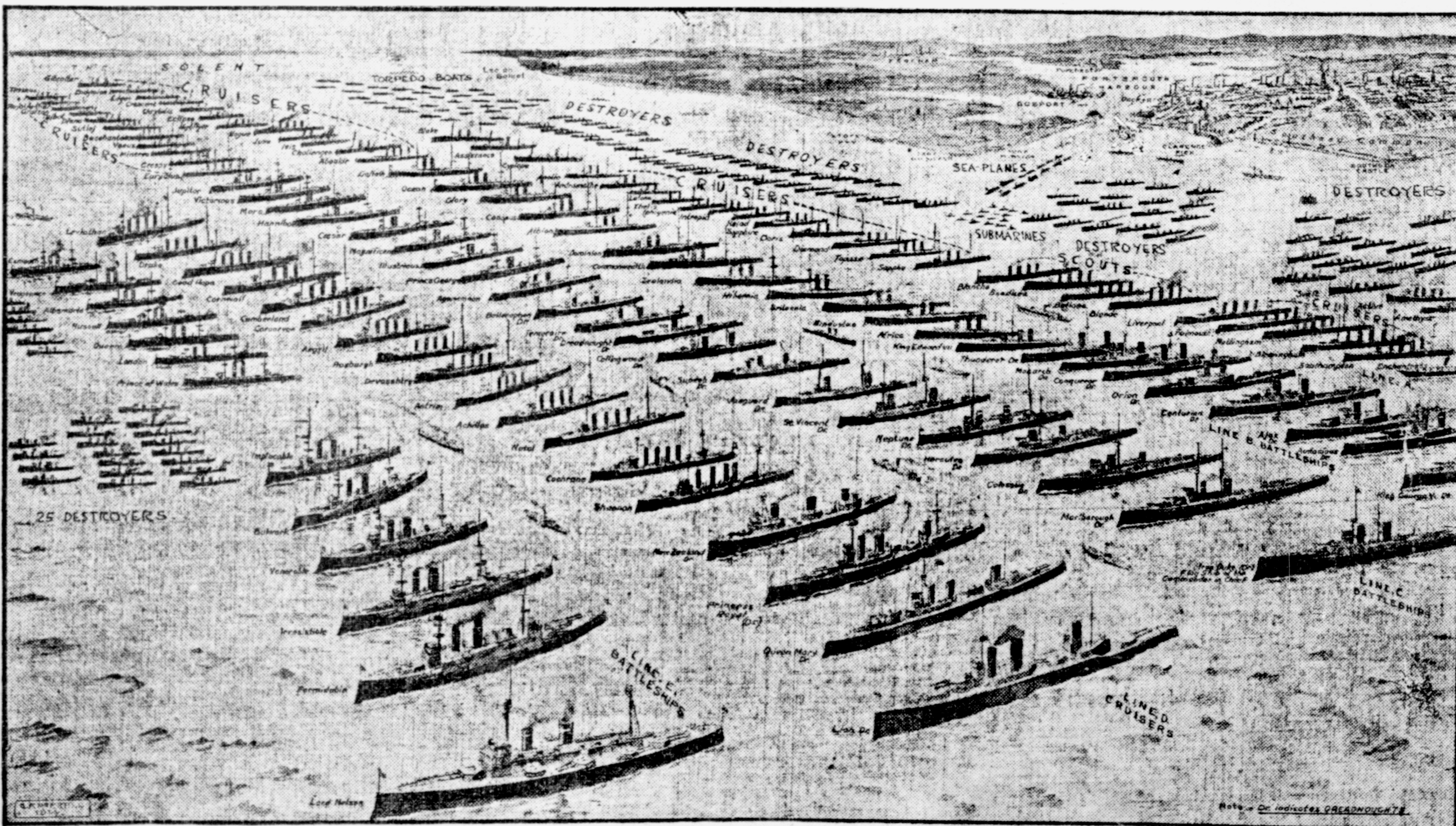
King Victor Emmanuel and his advisers have taken the stand that as the triple alliance is for defensive purposes only, Italy is not bound to aid Germany and Austria. Further, they have declared, Austria violated the terms of the alliance by not informing Italy of the measures contemplated against Serbia. The alliance provides that one country shall not act without the knowledge and consent of the other two. Not knowing of the demand for reprisals made upon Serbia, Italy was not able to arrange for the protection of certain interests which would suffer should the country enter into war.

It is for these reasons that Italy has declared she will observe the strictest neutrality.

GERMAN SHIPS SAFE

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Exchange Telegraph company's correspondent at Rome cables that the report of the capture by French war ships of the German war ships Goben and Breslau was not true. He says that the war ships are safe at San Salvatore, near Messina, after an exciting running fight with British and French fleets.

British Fleet at Spithead, Greatest Ever Assembled in the World



The greatest fleet ever assembled in the world was mobilized at Spithead, England, two weeks before the outbreak of the European war. Part of it is now in the North sea threatening to sink the German war vessels should they attempt to leave the

seclusion of the Baltic sea bent on destroying French commerce. Such was the announcement of Sir Edward Grey, secretary for foreign affairs in the House of Commons Monday afternoon.

Taking the mobilization of the

British fleet along with the recent visit of President Poincare of France to Czar Nicholas the guess has been made by many persons that both nations knew that Austria was about to begin war on Serbia, and that both knew this would involve them. At

any rate it gave a good excuse for the mobilization of the British fleet just before the outbreak.

There were more than two hundred vessels in all, a navy perhaps the equal to the combined fleets of the remainder of the world. The

fleet contained twenty-four battleships of the dreadnaught type, many cruisers, torpedo boats, and in the distance may be seen the fleet of airships. While Great Britain is not strong in airships she has a number of them.

neroxin at any drug store and if you are troubled with these unsightly blemishes you should certainly try this simple method.

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WITHHOLD JUDGMENT
The general tendency of the news
dispatches regarding the European
calamity has been to place the bur-
den of responsibility upon Germany.
This may be just, but it should be
remembered that most of the news
has emanated from London, Paris
and St. Petersburg, capitals of coun-
tries arrayed against Germany. The
German censorship, no matter how
justified as a war measure, has been
unfortunate in that it has prevented
Germany's side of the story being
told to the world.
Let us, as Americans, be fair in
our neutrality. In our revolutionary
war France gave us Lafayette and
Germany gave us Steuben. Let us
not forget these great and good
men who were factors in our inde-
pendence. The fault over there is
in part a racial condition, in part an
inherited conflict of dynasties, lar-
gely a fault of forms of government
that repose in rulers' control of war
and peace. In the immediate failure
to meet the crisis the personalities of
those rulers played the important
part. But in no case are the peoples
to blame. They are what we would
be were militarism bred and educa-
ted into us, did our every step bring
us to fort or arsenal, disappearing
battery or dreadnaught; were we
born to military service and taught
to expect war as a national heritage.
The descendants of the same peo-
ples, in America's melting pot, are
peace-loving, as they, too, are at
heart.
And so we say, let not regret for
the horror of Europe make us parti-

sans. Let us stand side by side,
Americans, sympathetic rather than
critical, fair rather than partisan,
calmly awaiting the verdict of the
unprejudiced historian of the future.
And in that attitude of impar-
tiality, let us not overlook the fact that
every moment we are touching el-
bows with American citizens who
have brothers and cousins in the Eu-
ropean armies, and let us, compre-
hending their emotions, decline to
take issue with the contentions in
which the natural sympathy of blood
ties causes them to indulge.
Our sentiments are of regret, good
will and compassion. We are not for
this or that country in the sad strug-
gle of the nations. We are for peace.

**"WAR, WHAT FOR?"
HOME CONSUMPTION?**
It is difficult to reconcile the Chi-
cago Tribune's powerful indictment
of European countries because they
have again consented to the practice
of war, with that paper's contem-
ptuous arraignment of the "watchful
waiting" policy of the Wilson ad-
ministration with relation to Mexi-
co. Perhaps it feels that a little war
like the conquest of Mexico wouldn't
count. However, in view of Colonel
Roosevelt's comment on the Spanish-
American war, that "if there wasn't
enough to go round" it "wasn't our
fault," it may seem to the Chicago
paper that it makes all the difference
in the world whether the chip is on
the shoulder of the kaiser, or of our
own "war lord." To believe in
peace, and to attempt to create war
sentiment for the political advantage
of its militant bull moose presiden-
tial candidate, is a conspicuous piece
of political brigandage of which the
Medill McCormick organ of "T. R."
should be ashamed. Now that the
Balkan monstrosity has forced a new
"confession of faith," why not frank-
ly apologize to President Wilson?

**BACK TO "THE
GOOD OLD DAYS"**
"Let me ask who in Wisconsin
would return to the days of a
three-cent fare?"
"Where is the self-respecting pub-
lic official who would return to the
days of the free pass and other ex-
changes of courtesies?"
"What Wisconsin shipper would
return to the days of extortionate
freight rates, unconscionable rebates
and other unjust discriminations?"
"What taxpayer in Wisconsin
would consent to return to the old
system under which railroad prop-
erty was not taxed and the railroads
only paid a small license fee?"
"What housewife would return to
the days when foods were adulterated
and misbranded; when meats and
fruits were embalmed rather than
healthfully preserved?"
"What mother would return to
the days when her little boys and
girls spent their days, and some-
times their nights, in the factory
instead of the school room?"
Quoting the above from Lieut.
Gov. Thomas Morris' Racine address,
La Follette's magazine asserts that
they are forceful questions. How-
ever they are easily answered.
Emanuel Philipp would go back,
Levi Bancroft would go back; every
man who, understanding it, stands
upon the Karel-Bolens or Philipp-
Bancroft platform, would go back—
back to "the good old days."

**McGOVERN'S FAULT
SAYS STALWART PAPER**
That Senator La Follette's at-
tack on the high taxation feature of
Governor Mc Govern's adminis-
tration is characteristically in-
consistent cannot be disputed; but
while inconsistent it is undeniably
just.—Evening Wisconsin.
In other words, the Milwaukee pa-
per says it is inconsistent for La
Follette to be just, a statement in
making which the "Wisconsin" is
inconsistent, for it's the nature of
the critter that it could not concede
good to the senator without grudging
reservations. However, we are
content with the stalwart organ's
confession that, for once, La Follette
is just.
Found.
Knicker—What is the dearest mar-
ket basket? Bocker—The one used for
tucker tape.—New York Sun.

**Quips and Cranks
and Wanton Wiles**
Impossible
Tell me a tale that has never been
told.
Sing me a song that has never been
sung.
Wing me a wink that has never been
wink.
Think me a thought that has never
been thought.
Spring me a joke that has never
been sprung.
One that is novel, is fresh and is
young.
Write me a story that's never been
writ.
Do me a sum that has never been
done.
Preach me a sermon that's never
been preached.
Screach me a ballad that's never been
screached.
But I will tell you ere you've begun,
There's not a thing new under the
sun.

A City Hall Park Incident
He was lost in dreamy contem-
plation of the busy thoroughfare
with its hurrying throng, unthink-
ing of the grime and stains that
marred his old fashioned garments,
when suddenly there resounded upon
the midsummer air an ear splitting
roar, a terrific clangor, a stifled
shriek from some frightened woman,
a babel of voices and a rush of
scurrying feet.
He stood transfixed, rooted to the
spot, without power to move a mus-
cle, an expression of unconscious
agony upon his noble face. Breath-
lessly he waited, unmindful of the
curious glances bestowed upon him,
and the little newsboys crouching
at his feet, his gaze fixed rigidly up-
on the spot from whence had risen
that cry of terror. The crowd parted,
a heavy truck moved lumberingly
aside and a Broadway surface car
went on its way. Still he did not
move, nor did the stern expression
upon his bronzed features relax.
For he alone of all that crowd
had nerves sufficiently hardened to
withstand the terrifying clamor and
confusion. He was the dust be-
sprinkled statue of Nathan Hale.

A Good Plan
A rich, but exceedingly mean man,
residing in upper New York, who had
an excellent wine cellar, but poor
wine, found that in spite of its qual-
ity some one of his servants was
always stealing it. He called his
butler, who was in a chronic state of
disgust at his employer's stinginess,
and said: "Thomas, this has got to
stop! It is your business to attend

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BAD CONDITION**
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E. Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound.

Montpelier, Vt. — "We have great
faith in your remedies. I was very ir-
regular and was tired and sleepy all
the time, would have cold chills, and my
hands and feet would blot. My stomach
bothered me, I had pain in my side and
a bad headache most of the time. Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has
done me lots of good
and I now feel fine. I am regular, my
stomach is better and my pains have all
left me. You can use my name if you
like. I am proud of what your reme-
dies have done for me."—Mrs. MARY
GAUTHIER, 21 Ridge St., Montpelier, Vt.
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It must be admitted by every fair-
minded, intelligent person, that a medi-
cine could not live and grow in popularity
for nearly forty years, and to-day hold
a record for thousands upon thousands
of actual cures, as has Lydia E. Pink-
ham's Vegetable Compound, without
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If you have the slightest doubt
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ble Compound will help you, write to
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ment. Absolutely in a class by it-
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to such matters. Now, what would
you suggest as the most practical
way to preserve this wine?"
"I don't know, sir," replied the
butler, "unless you put something
that's better worth drinking along-
side of it."

Funlets
It takes two to make a bargain,
but only one of them gets it.
A man is soon forgotten after he
is dead—unless you happen to marry
his widow.
The world doesn't judge a man by
his own clothes, but by his wife's.
A great deal of what passes for
dignity is nothing but genuine
laziness.
Shortly after marriage a man be-
gins to realize that he talked too
much during his courtship.
A woman in her best clothes
wants admiration; at all other times
she prefers love.
It may be bad form to flirt with
your own husband in public, but it's
awful good policy, because if you
don't do it some one else will.

Still the Same Old Bill
"I hear Bill Brown's been promot-
ed again."
"That's splendid! He must be
quite an important member of the
concern now."
"Oh, I guess not. The office boy
still calls him by his first name."

Art in Cleveland
We went up to the Caxton building
the other day to call on an artistic
friend. Perhaps we have expressed
ourselves badly; we do not refer to
a person who makes an art out of
friendship, but to one who by his
painting gains friends.
Anyhow, we called on this fellow,
and found him doing a war dance
about his studio.
"What on earth has happened?"
we asked.
"I've sold that painting," he
cried.
"Fine!" said we; "what are you
going to paint next?"
"The town!"
And he did.—Cleveland Plain
Dealer.

Mighty Quick Work
Some time ago a young farmer,
who had joined the army and had
gone to the Philippines sent a
cablegram to his father. The day
after the arrival of the message the
father was speaking about it to a
farmer friend.
"Great thing is that telegraf,
Josh," remarked the father. "Jos'
think o' that message comin' them
thousand miles!"
"Yes," was the hearty response
of Josh, "an' so thunderin' quick,
too."
"Thunderin' quick!" exclaimed
the father. "Well I should say so!
When I got that message the muck-
age on the enevellup wasn't dry
yet."—Philadelphia Telegram.
The Cause.
"What makes her hair so light?"
"I guess she's suffering from infan-
tile peroxide."—Buffalo Express.

**THE TRIBUNE'S
Daily
Short Story**
PRODIGAL PETER
BY CATHERINE COOPE

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When Peter Newell returned to
the parental roof after one of his
habitual rambles through the world
of idleness to which he was a devo-
tee he had expected his visit to be a
short one. That expectation, how-
ever, had been formed before he had
taken a walk through his mother's
gardens on a moonlit night in June.
There Peter had seen Mildred
Vance. At the moment his eyes had
fallen upon the girl, she had been
stooping over a great bed of snowy
roses, and her wraithlike figure was
only less ethereal than the moonlit
roses. Peter had gasped. Beauty
always brought more or less excite-
ment to Peter's heart, but the unex-
pectedness of Mildred's appearance
there in the garden smote him into
silence.
His mother had told him that a
couple had taken the gardener's
ottage, and that the flowers had never
been better cared for.
"The gardener's wife! By Jove!"
muttered Peter. He drew behind a
shrub and continued to watch Mild-
red inhale long draughts of moon-
beamed, rose-scented air. "There are
circumstances under which even a
gardener is to be envied," he added
in thought.
Mildred, hearing a slight noise,
looked up and beheld Peter's great
bulk only half concealed by the
shrubby. The sight of a strange
man prowling about the garden un-
nerved her and she crumpled up in
a heap on the gravel path.
Cursing himself for a silly fool,
Peter hastened to her side and pick-
ing her up as if she had been a child
carried her to the fountain not ten
yards away. She was like a flower
in his arms, and he carried her care-
fully lest he crush the petals. Once
beside the fountain he put a few
reviving drops of water on her head
and she opened her eyes.
Peter loosened his arms. "I am a
beast," he said finally. "I hope you
are over your fright. You seemed
so like an apparition there by the
roses that I was tempted to do watch
whether or not you disappeared on a
moonbeam or by way of your two
feet. I am Peter Newell."
"Vagabond Peter?" she said quick-
ly and without thinking.
"Yes," said Peter, and laughed.
"And I am the gardener's—wife."
Mildred said, glad that he had not
taken offense at her candor. "I hope
that you are going to remain at home
for a while. Your mother calls you
her Prodigal Peter and misses you
dreadfully."
"I suppose I am a waster," said
Peter; "but you see I will some day
have to live here on the estate, so I
am seeing the world while I can."
"Your mother loves you," said the
girl simply.
Peter opened wide his eyes. Surely
none but a married woman would
have the temerity to talk to him in
so frank a manner. Before he could
make reply Mildred had inclined her
lovely head and slipped off down the
garden path toward the small cottage
that lay close beside the great iron
gate that opened the way into the
estate.
The next morning Peter awoke
and wondered if he had dreamed of a
wraithlike form among the roses. So
undecided was he and so treacherous
was his memory that he questioned
his mother at the breakfast table.
"Yes, Peter," his fond mother told
him, "she is flesh and blood and un-
usually lovely. Your father and I
are still wondering just why she and
her husband are in the position they
are."
"What's the husband like?" Peter
was conscious of his mother's keen
glance.
"So splendid a type that your sister
is guilty of having cultivated
horticultural tastes so that she may
interview him a dozen times a day."
There was just a trifle of anxiety
behind Mrs. Newell's tone.
"What! Nell in love with another
woman's husband?" Peter's voice
was stern even as his moral sense
was stern. "I think I'll just hang
around for a while and keep sis out
of mischief."
Thus it was that Peter beguiled
himself into thinking that it was
his sister's welfare that kept him at
home, when in reality it was the blue
of Mildred's eyes and the scarlet of
her laughing lips and the music of
her voice that held him a prisoner
under his own roof. The world of

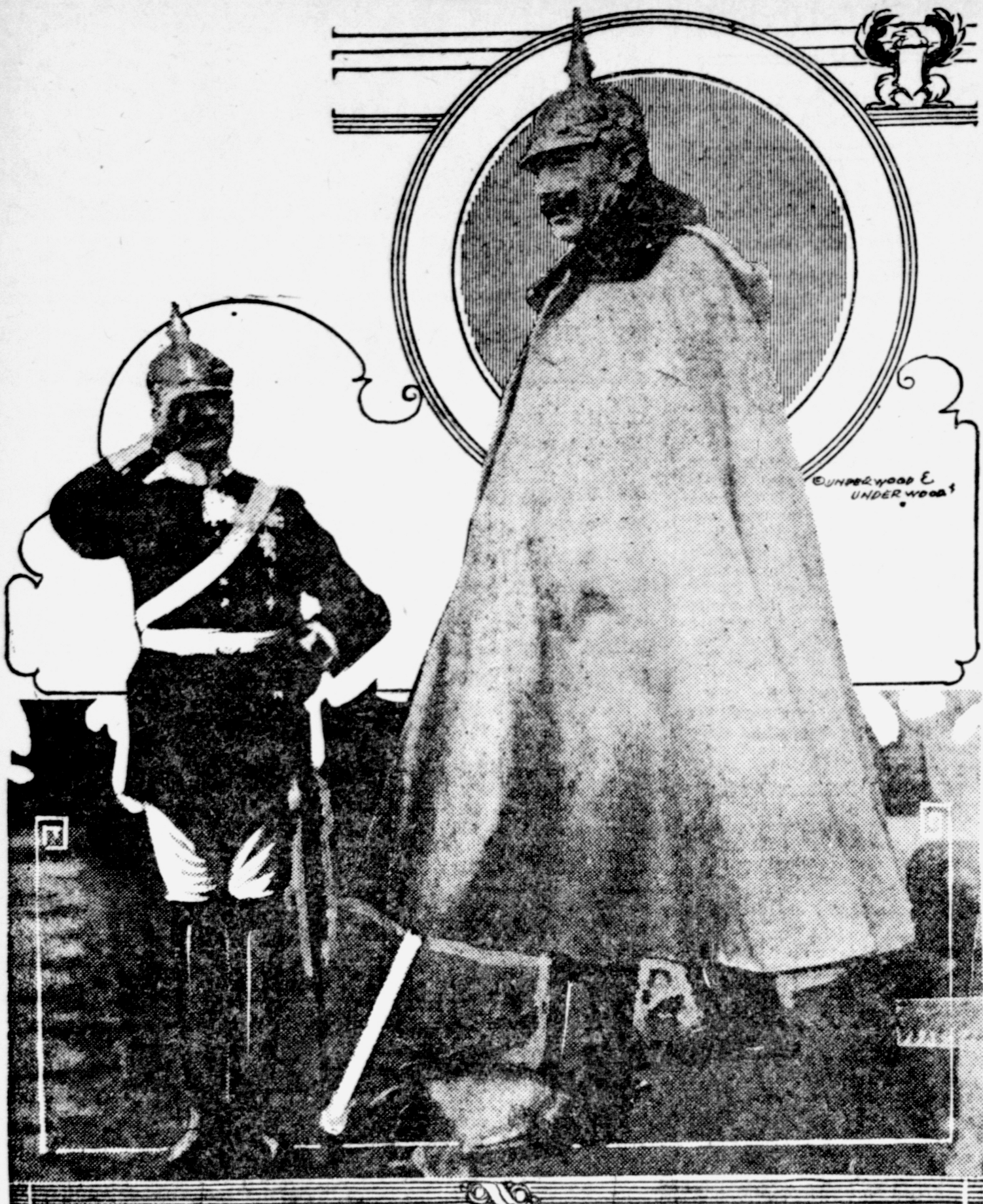
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idleness had no lure for him, nor did
the gay cities beckon him. He want-
ed only to live where he could from
time to time see his father's gar-
dener's wife, and he regretted the time
when he had first seen her. There
seemed to be no way out of the net
into which her sweetness had drawn
him.
The night he wandered through
the gardens and saw his sister Nell
held close in the arms of the garden-
er was a night of all nights to Peter
Newell. At first he could not be-
lieve his own eyes nor his own ears,
for Nell, his strong, pure minded sis-
ter, was pleading with the handsome
man, Peter held his breath while his
muscles gradually tightened.
"No," the man was saying, "I will
not drag you down to poverty. It
may be years before—"
"I don't care," cried Nell; "I will
live through anything if you will
only take me with you now."
Peter saw the man straighten his
shoulders. Nell's pleading had been
in vain.
Peter the Prodigal rushed upon the
scene conscious of feeling much like
the hero in a melodrama. His lines
had not come to him so he only
stood staring unbelievably at his
sister and the man whom she so evi-
dently loved. He found his tongue
and ordered Nell into the house. She
went swiftly glad to escape with her
storm of emotion.
"Well!" The monosyllable left
Peter's lips.
The man looked straight into
Peter's face and said simply, "Your
sister loves me. I have fallen in love
with her, but have no right to marry
her until I am successful."
Peter gasped.
"Great Scott, man—what are you
expecting to do with your wife?"
"Mildred is not my wife. She is
my sister. When we took this cot-
tage, with the slight services as gar-
dener it required, she wanted to cre-
ate the thought that she was my
wife so that tradesmen and people

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FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have
PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce
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"S'MATTER, POP?"
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ATH I TOLD YA AN
DIDNT TOUCH THE
THAUGHTIG WHILE
I WUTH AWAY, DIDNT
YA?
JUTH FOR THAT
YA CAN HAVE
HALF OF IT
I HOPE THITH
IMPRETHUTH YA
WITH THA ADVANTAGE
OF BEIN A GOOD
DOG
I GIT THE IMPRESSION
THAT IF YA HED BEEN
A BAD DOG YA WOULD
HAVE GOT IT ALL
AND I WANT YOU TO
GET THE IMPRESSION
THAT KIND
OF SENTIMENT
DOESNT GO
IN THIS STRIP
SPLASH
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THE WAR LORD OF GERMANY



Kaiser Wilhelm leaving the palace to review troops about to depart for France.

MANY ATTEND THE GROCERS' PARTY

Annual Picnic of Retail Grocers' Association Proves Big Success

Over 500 persons, grocers, their families and friends yesterday deserted business, left the housewives of the city who had not supplied themselves before hand in the lurch, cast aside cares and added their mite to what was the gayest outdoor affair of the season, in the annual picnic at Camp Tate.

Unique schemes for entertainment and comfort of the guests were carried out through the activities of Secretary Harry Taggart of the Retail Grocers' Association and the general committees in charge.

The picnicers left via the South-eastern to Camp Tate on a train consisting of eight flat cars, and two coaches. A brass band made music for the fresh air-travelers.

The picnic grounds were ideal according to the returning picnicers last night. They were decorated and everything was arranged for comfort for the guests of the day.

Various games went on from the arrival at Camp Tate until the train pulled out for home.

BANK CUTS RATE

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The Bank of England rate today was reduced to 6 per cent. This announcement at the resumption of business following the bank holiday caused much elation in business circles. It was accepted that the government has no doubt of the result of the war and believes hostilities will not last long.

BRITISH LEAVE VERA CRUZ

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Admiral Craddock, aboard the British flagship Suffolk and two other British cruisers left Vera Cruz a week ago, it was stated at the British embassy this afternoon. Their destination is unknown.

TO RE-OPEN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The Journal of Commerce's London correspondent cables that the London Stock exchange will probably open for business on Friday, transactions to be exclusively on a cash basis.

FRENCH BANK OPENS

PARIS, Aug. 6.—The Bank of France opened for business today with the announced discount rate at 6 per cent. This was in accordance with the action of the Bank of England.

GOING AFTER CRUISERS HERE

PARIS, Aug. 6.—It was officially announced this afternoon that five German cruisers are known to be in Mexican and West Indian waters. French warships are to be sent to locate and destroy them.

Sample of English Obstinacy.

A twelve-year dispute has just been settled in a little village on the Holderness (England) coast named Ulrome. The dispute was over a clock for the church tower, for which 40 poor parishioners subscribed. The clock was not placed in position because the representatives of the subscribers were unwilling to let the clock pass under the control of the vicar. The vicar declared that the clock was not erected because the farmers did not want the laborers to know the time to knock off work. After the lapse of all these years the clock has now arrived in the village and will be installed shortly.

Pipe Worth Half Million Dollars.

Among the royal treasures of Persia is a pipe set with diamonds, rubies and emeralds, to the value, it is estimated, of no less than \$500,000. This pipe was made for the late shah and it is said to be even more valuable than his famous sword. In the matter of swords, it is said that the gaskwar of Baroda who, on the occasion of the coronation of George V in India, added to his fame by snubbing that monarch, possesses the most precious blade in existence. Its hilt and belt are incrustated with diamonds, rubies, sapphires and emeralds, and its value has been put at \$1,000,000.

THE DOME

TODAY
1. The Double Shadow, in two parts
2. Skilley's Birthday.
3. Pathe Weekly.

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Bob Leonard in
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THE SOB SISTER

THE LYRIC

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"LUCILLE LOVE NO. 14"
In Two Parts
also
"HIS WIFE'S FAMILY"
A Clever Comedy

THE CASINO

"THE TWO VAUREVELS"
A Booth Tarkington novel dramatized
"THE WALKO SISTERS"
A funnier picture was never seen.
It's a riot.

GERMANS CHASE LINERS TO PORT

HALIFAX, Aug. 6.—Two fast trans-Atlantic English liners put in here today to escape German cruisers encountered off the coast. The Cedric of the White Star line was the first to arrive and was soon followed by the Cunard liner Mauretania. The latter vessel was conveyed to port by the British cruiser Essex.

In the Nursery.

Of course, the most important room in the house where King Baby reigns supreme is the nursery. This room should be selected with care and should be as sunny as possible. The sun is the great purifier of the atmosphere and nothing should be done in the nursery which tends to contaminate the air. There must be no drying or washing of baby's clothes in this room; the gas should not be allowed to burn at night, but a night light used. An open fire, if it is possible to have one, is the very best source of heat.

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20% Discount on All Porch Furniture Including Porch Shades.

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\$25.00 Birds-Eye Maple Dresser \$19.50
\$18.00 Quartered Oak Dresser \$14.50
\$20.00 Quartered Oak Princess Dresser \$15.50
\$16.00 Mahogany Princess Dresser \$11.50
\$13.00 Mah. finished dresser \$9.75
\$18.00 Mah. finished Dresser \$12.75
\$20.00 Mahogany Princess Dresser \$14.50
\$38.00 Birds-eye Maple Dresser \$25.50

CHAIRS

\$6.75 Parlor Chair \$3.95
\$2.50 Diner \$1.75
\$22.00 Leather Arm Chair \$16.25
\$14.00 Reed Chair \$10.25
\$13.00 Arm Chair \$9.75

MORRIS CHAIRS

\$15.00 Morris Chair \$12.50
\$18.00 Morris Chair \$14.50
\$25.00 Morris Chair \$18.75
\$20.00 Morris Chair \$16.00
\$18.00 Morris Chair \$12.75
\$29.00 Morris Chair \$23.00
\$24.00 Morris Chair \$19.00
\$18.00 Morris Chair \$13.50

Children's Carriages

\$17.00 Carriage \$13.85
\$4.00 Carriage \$11.50
\$5.50 Carriage \$13.50
\$8.00 Carriage \$6.75
\$8.50 Carriage \$5.00
\$6.00 Carriage \$4.00
\$23.00 Carriage \$16.50
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\$9.00 Leatorie Cooker at \$6.75
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\$75.00 Birds-eye Maple Suite \$59.00
\$58.00 White Enameled Suite \$42.00
\$115.00 Circassian Walnut Suite \$85.00

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\$27.00 Birds-eye Maple Chiffonier \$18.50
\$25.00 Birds-eye Maple Chiffonier \$17.50
\$25.00 Mahogany Chiffonier \$16.50
\$36.00 Circassian Walnut Chiffonier \$29.00
\$21.00 Birds-eye Maple Chiffonier \$15.00
\$20.00 Quartered Oak Chiffonier \$14.75

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\$8.50 Mission Rocker \$5.75
\$20.00 Leather Rocker at \$15.50
\$31.00 Leather Rocker at \$21.00
\$25.00 Leather Mission Rocker \$16.50
\$10.00 Mission Rocker at \$8.25
\$20.00 Leather Rocker at \$15.00
\$17.00 Leather Rocker at \$11.00
\$35.00 Leather Rocker at \$27.00
\$8.50 Mission Rocker \$5.50

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AMBASSADOR READY TO GO

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—William G. Sharp, new ambassador to France, arrived here today from Ohio and will try to leave for France on the armored cruiser Tennessee.

Thought of Papa.

Papa—Are you sure that you and mamma thought of me while you were away? Grace—Yes; we heard a man kicking up a great row about his breakfast at the hotel, and mamma said, "That's just like papa."

Bobbs—I wonder why the girls with high ideals never marry. Slubbs—Nobody wants them.

STOPS PARCEL POST

Postmaster Olaf R. Kaar received official notice from the postoffice authorities at Washington this morning not to receive parcel post packages destined to either Germany or France until further notice is given.

LICHNOWSKI LEAVES

LONDON, Aug. 6.—German Ambassador Lichnowsky left London early today under an escort of British troops. There was no demonstration incident to his departure.

Most of us are out for the dust, but we hate to have it thrown in our eyes.

CANADIAN MILITIA GATHER

VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 6.—The Canadian militia is concentrating here today. Troop trains are arriving, the Vancouver and the General movement is toward the coast.

To Get Rid of Flies.

A quick method to drive flies out of the house is to put 20 drops of carbolic acid on a hot stove lid or hot shovel. Make the room semi-dark and leave only one window or door open. The flies will hurry away. A tablespoonful of formaldehyde, in a pint of water, left standing in a room, also drives them out.

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WEATHER BULLETIN

Boston	60	66	0
Charleston	74	82	.04
New York	64	76	0
Washington	64	80	0
Galveston	80	84	.08
Jacksonville	76	82	.26
New Orleans	74	90	0
Chicago	74	84	.02
La Crosse	62	81	0
Madison	68	86	.01
Memphis	74	92	0
Milwaukee	72	80	0
Bismarck	48	78	0
Huron	54	84	0
Kansas City	72	94	0
St. Paul	58	88	.04
Boise	66	98	0
Denver	58	88	0
Helena	56	88	0
Miles City	54	86	0
Portland, Ore.	54	84	0
Spokane	66	90	0
Medicine Hat	54	84	0

WEATHER

Yesterday's temperatures:

High, 81.

Low, 62.

Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity:

Generally fair tonight and Friday;

no decided change in temperature.

For Wisconsin: Partly cloudy tonight

and Friday; colder tonight and

southeast portion Friday.

For Minnesota: Partly cloudy tonight

and Friday; cooler east portion

tonight; warmer west portion

Friday.

For Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight

and Friday; possibly showers extreme

east portion tonight; somewhat

cooler tonight.

Weather conditions

The Manitoba low has moved into

the upper lake region and local show-

ers have occurred from Texas north-

ward through eastern Minnesota and

Wisconsin to northern Michigan.

The temperature is somewhat

higher in the central and eastern

states and lower in the Dakotas. The

temperature is high in the western

plateau region and has risen in Mont-

ana and the adjacent Canadian ter-

ritory.

The weather is generally fair in

all sections this morning although

rain is falling at a few widely scat-

tered stations.

The pressure is lowest over the

Atlantic states and lowest in the

Lake Superior district and British

Columbia.

These pressure conditions indicate

generally fair weather in this sec-

tion for tonight and Friday with no

decided change in temperature.

River

Flood Stage, Height, Change.

St. Paul 14 3.9 —0.1

Red Wing 14 3.4 —0.1

Reeds 12 3.7 —0.1

La Crosse 12 3.9 —0.1

Pr. du Chien 18 4.2 —0.4

Dubuque 18 5.4 —0.2

St. Louis 30 8.1 —0.4

River Forecast

The river will continue to fall

slowly during the next 48 hours.

Improving the Language.

Apart from the United States, where

the coining of new words and phrases

is by way of developing into a recog-

nized industry, writers in this country

are constantly adding to the language

"Chocolatist" and "mixologist" are the

titles lately adopted by a confectioner

and a blender of cocktails respective-

ly; and one of our contemporaries has

just invented "incepted." Another is

responsible for "mascotry." The Eng-

lish language is rich enough without

these unnecessary additions.—London

Globe.

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ATHLETIC YOUNG DANISH MAIDENS EXCEL AS LIFE SAVERS AND AT AQUATIC SPORTS



Members of the Danish woman's life saving corps.

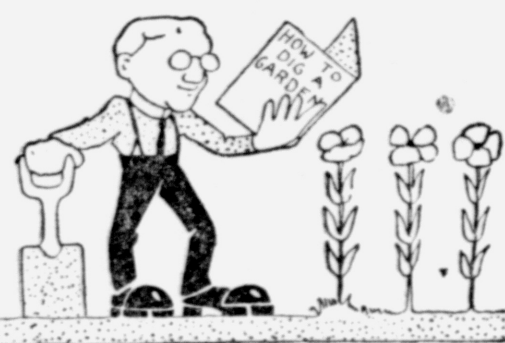
At a recent demonstration in Copenhagen husky members of the woman's national life saving corps showed their ability as life savers when they gave an exhibition of rescuing an instructor. The instructor knew the symptoms of a drowning person and made attacks and clutched as one would when drowning, but in every case these athletic young Danish maidens got a strangle hold on the dummy before allowing him the first hold.

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**DUBUQUE PASTOR
TO MARRY HERE**

A marriage license was issued this morning to Rev. Max Bachrach, pastor of a church at Dubuque, Ia., and Miss Bertha Shore, Whalen, Minn. They will be married here next week.

Facts never write as big headlines as imagination.

**FRANZ JOSEPH FINDS BOZANOVITCH
IS "MAN OF HOUR" WITH SERVANS**



Emperor Franz Joseph, on his charger, and Miles Bozanovitch.

Emperor Franz Joseph has found that the real "man of the hour" opposing the moves in resistance to the Austrian troops dispatched against Serbia is not the infirm King Peter nor the crown prince, but Miles Bozanovitch, the Servian war minister. He looms as the central figure in the Austro-Serb war.



SOCIETY

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Catherine Carpenter entertained Tuesday afternoon at a party in honor of the birthdays of her twin sisters, Marian and Elsie Carpenter. Games were played during the afternoon and later a lunch was served on the lawn. The tables were prettily decorated, the main feature being the large birthday cake. A fruit centerpiece formed an attractive part of the decorations. Misses Anna Schwanzle, Mildred Anderson and Leona Kienahs assisted in serving. Those present were Edna Thomas, Louise Kienahs, Isabel Rupert, Lucile Murray, Esther Cots, Ruth Cots, Gertrude Silberschmidt, Evelyn Silberschmidt and Dorothy Krawczak.

HIGBEE-COREN NUPTIALS

Last night at the home of Miss Lulu Coren in Chicago, J. E. Higbee, city attorney and a prominent member of the Wisconsin bar, was married to Miss Edna Coren, daughter of the late L. Coren and a school-mate of Mr. Higbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Losey, the latter a sister of the groom, and Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Egan attended the wedding from here.

The couple will return to La Crosse in about two weeks where they will make their home.

DINNER AT STODDARD

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Polleys of Missoula, Mont., entertained at a dinner last evening at the Stoddard. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pryor, Mrs. Alex Hyslop, Mrs. A. D. Appleby, Miss Mabel Matteson, Mrs. Alice Vought of New York, Mrs. Woodcock and the Misses Emma and Gertrude Scott.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Polleys of Missoula, Mont., who have been guests of Mrs. Alex Hyslop, left last night for Madison, Milwaukee and Chicago.

Alex G. Paul of Watertown, Fla., is in the city on a business trip.

Miss Louise Bartz has gone to Brazil, Ill., for a few days' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brittingham and daughter, Miss Margaret Brittingham, Madison, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hixon.

PICNIC AT MYRICK PARK

A picnic was given yesterday afternoon at Myrick park in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Polleys of Missoula, who have been the guests of Mrs. Alex Hyslop. Others present were Mrs. Thomas Ives, Miss Gertrude Ives, Mrs. W. A. Pryor, Mrs. Alice Vought of New York, Mrs. Alex Hyslop, Mrs. Woodcock, Mrs. A. D. Appleby, Mrs. Frank Cook and Miss Mabel Matteson.

ENTERTAIN FOR BRIDE TO BE

Mrs. P. A. Pederson entertained at a parcel shower Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Amelia Chit-el who is to be an August bride. She received many pretty and useful gifts.

MRS. CHASE ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Clarence Chase entertained Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. O. Moe of Shawnee, Okla. Covers were laid for eight. Supper was served at 4 o'clock, the table decorations being in yellow. Those present were Mesdames Moe, Laura Bullock, Edward Elstad, Ambrose Forseth, Alfred Anderson, Thomas Herman and Miss Emma Halverson. Miss Lillian Anderson rendered several piano solos.

PARTY FOR DAUGHTER

Mrs. Anna Goetting entertained a number of friends in honor of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Pruett of Minneapolis, who is her guest. Those present were Mrs. Rose Pelen, Miss Gladys Newton, Mrs. D. Y. Newton, Mrs. Charles Larson, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Zimmers, Mrs. Charles Rausch, Mrs. Phillips and Mrs. Nick Neumann, Minneapolis.

MISS GILLIS ENTERTAINS

Miss Sophie Gillis entertained a few friends last evening. The guests were the Misses Elsie Stoiber, Gertrude Moeller, Lois Bristow, Minnie Biermann, Anna and Cecelia Gillis and Sophie Gillis. A midnight lunch was served.

ENTERTAINS CHOIR

The Holy Trinity church choir, of which both the bride and groom-to-be are members, were entertained at a porch party last night at the home of Miss Agnes Arenz, who is soon to marry M. H. Stoll. Several selections were rendered by the choir and a few individual members. Miss Arenz sang "Angels' Serenade" very effectively, accompanied by Nic Birbaum on the violin and Elinor Spetel on the piano. A vocal solo by Ida Pappenfuss, also one by Joseph Dockendorff, and several declamations, added largely to the pleasure of the evening.

A Pot of Peas.

Pert Penelope Perkins, patiently plucking pretty primroses, perceiving Percival Patmore, pretended preoccupation. Percy perspired profusely, penning pensive poetry. Presently, properly primed, Percival promptly proposed. Penelope, prudently pessimistic, playfully procrastinated. Percival, passionately protesting, produced precious presents, promising pathetically perpetual protection. Purse proud, pompous papa, proving pliant, Penelope placidly paired.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

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Just Listen:**

If any one of you is bothered with that ugly neck enlargement called goitre, I've got just the nicest remedy for it you ever saw. And it don't discolor your skin either, all you got to do is to apply it at bedtime, and that old goitre will surely fade away. You can either get a 50c or \$1.00 bottle.

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No State Taxes, Economy, Retrenchment and Efficiency Without Reaction Declares Candidates

KEEP "U" OUT OF POLITICS

Endorse Wilson and Score State Democracy of the Dave Rose Type—All Candidates Sign

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 6.—John A. Aylward, gubernatorial candidate of the "Wilson democracy" in opposition of John C. Karel, today made public the platform upon which he and the rest of the progressive state ticket will ask for the suffrage of the people. The platform declares for no state taxes, a definite business administration, the probe of every department, institution and activity of the state, and "retrenchment, economy and efficiency, without reaction." The abolition of the state vice commission is recommended.

Some important platform planks are:

No state taxes. Income from railroads and other corporations, inheritance and income taxes, sufficient to run the state government.

Commissions reduced from forty-five to fifteen.

State salary and payroll cut one million dollars.

State highway tax cut one million dollars, thus working a saving of three million dollars in the state.

State biennial permanent building fund cut \$3,000,000.

One hundred days' session of the legislature.

State party platform convention.

University to be kept out of politics.

Reference library to be servant, not master of the legislature.

Wisconsin democracy not of Dave Rose type.

The Wilson administration highly endorsed.

War cry, "Retrenchment, economy, efficiency—without reaction."

The signers of the platform planks are John A. Aylward, democratic candidate for governor; Melvin A. Hoyt, candidate for lieutenant governor; Adolph C. Dick, candidate for state treasurer; Harry Truesdell, candidate for secretary of state; Evan A. Evans, candidate for attorney general; Paul O. Husting, candidate for United States senator, and Adolph J. Schmitz, chairman campaign committee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Wisconsin, in Probate: La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Christian S. Colby, late of the city of La Crosse, in said County, deceased. Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Geo. O. Selund, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 5th day of August A. D. 1914, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 2nd day of March, A. D. 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of said County in the Courthouse in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

By the Court,
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PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen meeting, dance Tues. Mrs. T. Scouten of Sparta is the guest of friends and relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Morris have returned to their home in Chasburg after being the guests of friends and relatives in the city.

George Brennan is the guest of his parents in New Albin, Ia.

B. A. Yeomen excursion Thurs., Aug. 13, 8:30 p. m. Barge Mississippi. William Griffin has returned to his home in Tomah from a business trip in the city.

The Rev. J. G. Glaser of Tomah is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of Viroqua arrived yesterday for a short visit with friends and relatives in the city.

Miss Ruth Wilhelm left yesterday for a short visit with friends and relatives in Caledonia, Minn.

Cottage for rent. Riverside camp. John Agnew has returned to his home in Winona from a short visit with relatives here.

John Fry of La Crosse is the guest of friends in Houston.

Mrs. Harry Watkins is visiting in Milwaukee.

Miss Kathryn V. Jeffers of Heitman, Iowa, is the guest of Mrs. George R. Reay.

Big picnic at Leide's park Sunday, Aug. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Calloway of Milwaukee are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd at their cottage at Dresbach.

Miss Mary Phillips has returned to her home in Oskaloosa, Ia., after visiting at the home of Mrs. George R. Reay.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Nowell of La Crosse are the guests of friends and relatives in the city.

Miss Sarah Budd of Newark, N. J., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Budd.

Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Co. Phone 179.

The Misses May Fitzpatrick and Grace Swenson have returned to their homes here after visiting with friends and relatives in Caledonia.

Mrs. Charles Wallace has returned from a visit with friends in Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller have returned to their home in Winona from a short visit with friends in the city.

Mrs. E. C. Hellickson has returned to her home in Caledonia after spending the forepart of the week in the city.

Miss Harriet Reay of La Crosse is the guest of the Misses Lucy and Elsie Latham in Caledonia.

Mrs. Josephine Semsch has returned from a visit with relatives in Caledonia, Minn.

Miss Mary White of La Crosse is the guest of friends in Winona.

H. C. Micklesen and wife, Hudson, Wis., formerly of this city, have returned home after a visit here.

J. A. McDonald, captain of fire department company No. 1, will camp at some point above here on the Mississippi during his vacation. F. C. McLaughlin is at present taking his vacation.

Miss Olga Bakum, 343 South Twenty-second street, is a guest at the Chris Froiland home in Avon, Ia.

Miss Magdalene R. Tillman and Miss Sadie Tillman left Tuesday for Minneapolis, where the former will attend the Spirella Training School for Corsetieres.

A son was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Olson, of Chicago. Mrs. Olson was formerly Miss Mabel Anderson of this city.

Mrs. E. F. O'Neill, 127, South Ninth street, wife of E. F. O'Neill, of fire department No. 1, and Miss Winnifred Conway left the city yesterday for a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Hillsboro.

Mrs. O'Neill's son is at present visiting his grandmother there.

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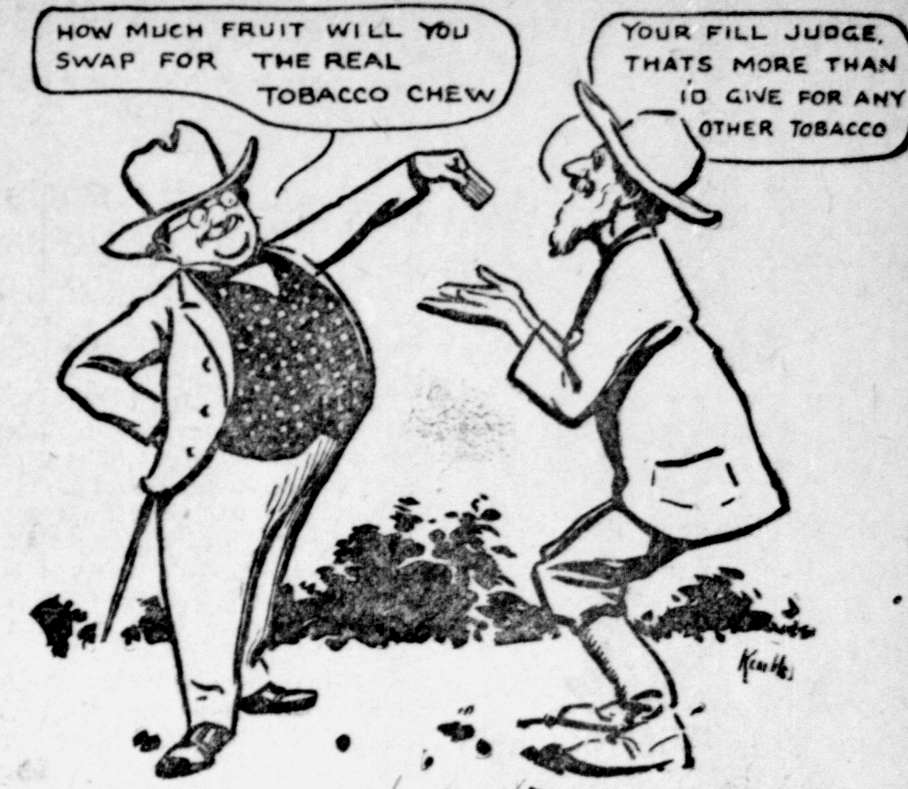
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Everywhere men are saying to their friends that "Right-Cut" is the Real Tobacco Chew.

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Take a very small chew—less than one-quarter the old size. It will be more satisfying than a mouthful of ordinary tobacco. Just nibble on it until you find the strength chew that suits you. Tuck it away. Then let it rest. See how easily and evenly the real tobacco taste comes, how it satisfies without grinding, how much less you have to spit, how few chews you take to be tobacco satisfied. That's why it is The Real Tobacco Chew. That's why it costs less in the end.

It is a ready chew, cut fine and short shreds so that you won't have to grind on it with your teeth. Grinding on ordinary candied tobacco makes you spit too much.

The taste of pure, rich tobacco does not need to be covered up with molasses and licorice. Notice how the salt brings out the rich tobacco taste in "Right-Cut."

If your dealer does not sell it, send us 10c. in stamps for a pouch of "Right-Cut" Chewing Tobacco.

WEYMAN-BRUTON COMPANY
50 Union Square, New York

SURPRISE GERMANS

PARIS, Aug. 6.—French cavalry surprised German dragoons at Noroy le Bourg in the vicinity of Belfort today, killing five, wounding two and capturing one. The Germans retreated at top speed. There were no French casualties.

Most men might be fairly happy if they could forget all the mean things they know about themselves.

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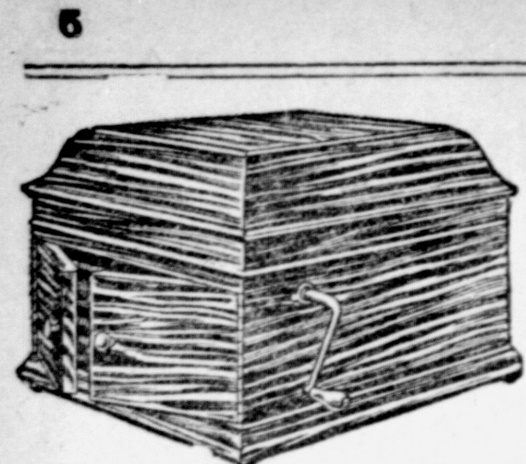
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GERMANS DRIVE IN DEFENDERS OF OUTER WORKS

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BRUSSELS, Aug. 6.—The battle of Liege is becoming increasingly desperate. The entire German army, with its supporting artillery is engaged and the Belgian defense is stubborn. Two of the outlying Belgian forts have been evacuated, having been rendered untenable by the heavy German fire. The German artillery now has the range of the Belgian position and its fire is extremely effective.

The two forts which the Germans captured are old fortifications. While the Germans are being held in check, the Belgian engineers are constructing a second line of defense at Hamu, where the fortifications are even stronger than those at Liege.

Machine guns are being mounted outside the forts where they will command all approaches. Mines are being laid and barbed wire entanglements constructed at strategic points. It is already considered certain that the German advance will prove more costly than had been imagined by the German general staff. French troops, picked cavalry, infantry and engineers, are waiting to reinforce the Belgian columns but up to the present King Albert has not sent them orders to advance.

German losses at Vise were 3,500 killed and wounded and fully double that number were lost at Liege and vicinity. Fighting of the fiercest character is still in progress, the Germans having renewed their attempt to cross the Meuse river at daylight today.

General von Emmich, the German commander, is said to be directing the operations against Liege in person. Additional reinforcements are reported coming to his assistance. King Albert will take supreme command of the army in the field today if possible.

Crown Prince to Front. It is rumored here that the German reinforcements include an additional army corps and three brigades of engineers and artillery. The king has been advised that the German crown prince is enroute to the front to assume personal command of the army of invasion. It is expected that Germany will now concentrate her entire army from Cologne in the movement across Belgium. The French forces, which effected a junction with the Belgians yesterday, are moving toward Liege.

German arms sustained another defeat early today. Two regiments of cavalry attempted a night surprise of the Belgian position at Jijfers. The Belgian artillery entrenched behind the strong fortifications at Fort Liers repulsed the invaders with heavy losses.

South of Vise. Liers is a strongly fortified city about two miles southwest of Vise where the German army has established a base.

The Belgian officers declare upon learning they were in Belgium many of the Germans deserted. The German commanders have posted detachments of infantry along the Dutch frontier and are shooting down deserters attempting to cross the border.

Savage, as a result of their defeats, and fighting like mad at every step, the Germans are shooting at civilians found carrying arms, the Belgians declare. Citizens in many villages have been shot down in the

\$2.00 Franco-German Ring

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CHIEF STILL ON SPEEDERS' TRAIL

Eighteen Auto Owners Last Night Found Guilty of Minor Infractions of State Laws

Police Chief John B. Webber's war on the auto law violators was continued last night when eighteen owners were rounded up.

Most of the violations were of minor features of the state and local auto laws although several speeders were included in the list.

Many of the cars were running without tail lights.

Motorcyclists are also included in the police campaign and several have been caught riding on sidewalks, speeding and running without lights.

Where the offenses charged are the first the offenders are permitted to go with a reprimand. In case of a second offense a fine of \$17.50 is imposed and in the event of a third within the year, a fine of \$100 and costs is the result.

streets. At Vise an eighteen year old girl was executed. She had shot a German officer.

French Aviators Aid. Six French aviators have arrived in Belgium to assist the home forces. The king issued a decree today authorizing French aviators to fly anywhere over Belgium and commanding that all Germans attempting an aerial invasion be shot.

The exact location of the German columns was signalled from aeroplanes with the result that the accuracy of the cannon fire demoralized the invaders. Explosive shells fell in their midst, killing and wounding hundreds. The aviators paid particular attention to the German staff officers, with the result that the casualties among them were very great. The Germans sent up their airmen, but they were driven off by the Belgians.

Aviators Both Die

According to one report a Belgian aeroplane attacked a German airman. They fired revolvers at each other without effect and in their attempt to get close enough so that the pistol shots would prove effective, their machines collided and fell, both men being killed.

The German advance guard was south of South Dohain with their columns extending to Francorchamps 25 miles away. It is understood here that an additional army corps with supporting brigades of engineers and artillery has been rushed from Cologne and that Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm has started from Berlin to assume command. The accuracy of this latter statement cannot be vouched for.

Take Many Prisoners

Estimates of the total losses vary but the dead and wounded of the German army are numbered in the thousands and the Belgians have taken many prisoners. King Albert, in referring to the invasion, characterized it as a "monstrous crime."

The Belgian forces stood the blood test. They have crushed an entire German army corps and compelled it to halt and await the arrival of supporting columns now being rushed from various points near the frontier. Details of the exact losses are not yet available, but the minister of war says that the German "casualties are staggering while ours are comparatively unimportant."

Germany was surprised at the outset. The Belgian military leaders ascribe their wonderful victory to the fact that the invaders did not anticipate any serious resistance. Gen. Von Emmich, the German commander, realized the strength of the Belgian fortifications, but in common with his fellow German military experts, he had nothing but contempt for the Belgians as a fighting force.

Germans Trapped

Crossing into Belgium at a point near Vise, the Germans attacked early Tuesday night. There was only preliminary skirmishing until daylight. Then a German column of Uhlans supported by an auto corps in high powered automobiles and others on motorcycles, charged the Belgians. The latter gave way, in accordance with a pre-arranged plan. Flated with their success, the Germans swept on without waiting for their infantry support or for the artillery. Just in the outskirts of Vise, the Belgians made their first stand. The Germans were trapped and driven back in confusion, leaving several hundred wounded on the field.

When the German reinforcements arrived, a second attack was ordered. It was successful. So incensed were the Germans over the stubborn defense that they burned the city of Vise.

3,500 Germans Killed

The German losses in the fighting in front of Vise numbered 3,500 in killed and wounded and the Belgians took three hundred prisoners. The Belgian defenders moved slowly along both banks of the Meuse, and along the railway and the railway and the military road. At a number of points the Germans attacked.

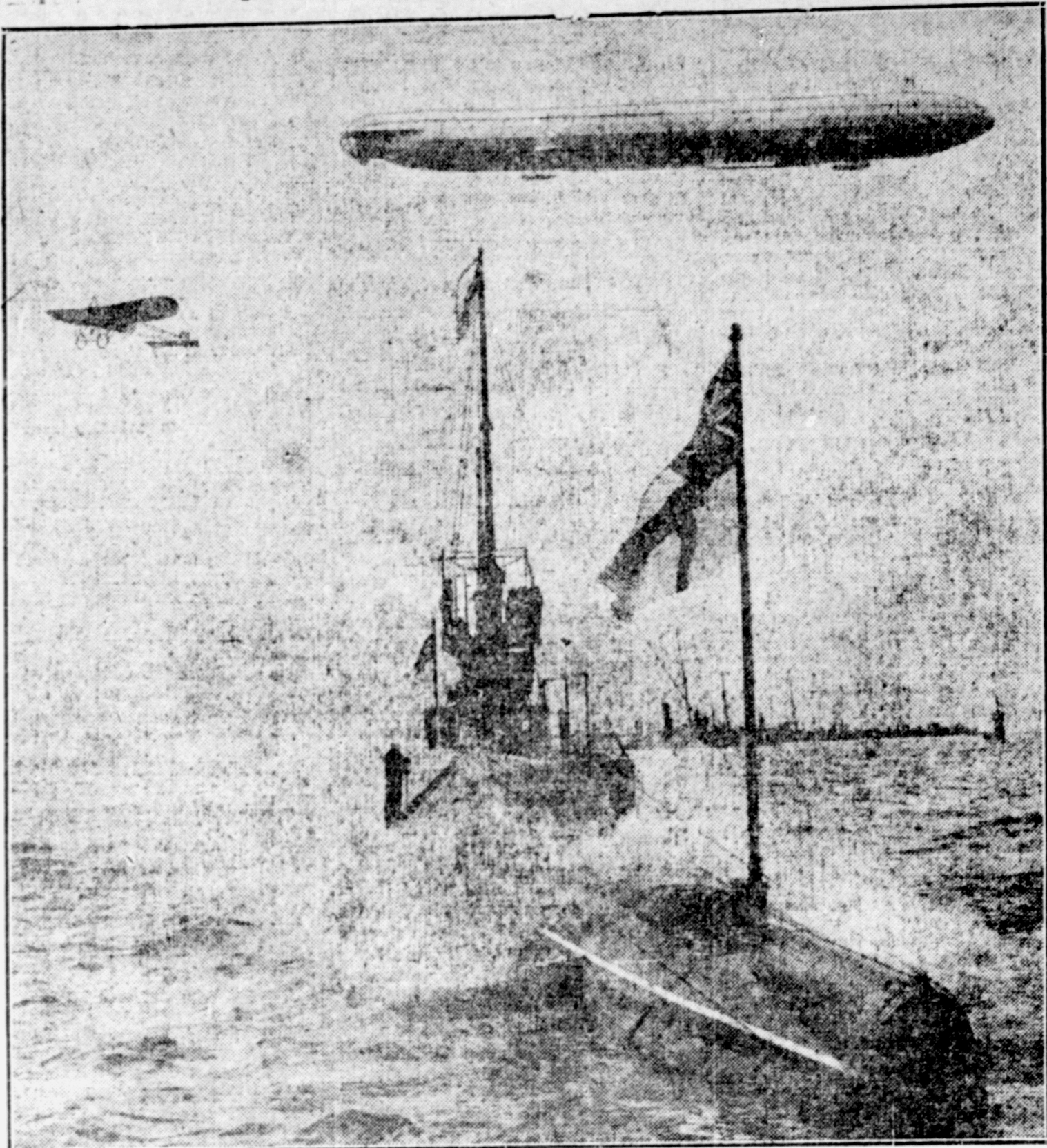
When the Germans gave battle the Belgians moved great swaths in their columns with the machine guns. While this was proceeding two regiments of Germans with an armored train had been trapped by Belgians and practically annihilated with mines under the culverts in the vicinity of Spa.

The Belgian army gave way until Dohain, seven miles north of Liege was reached. Here a real stand was made. The Belgian field artillery machine guns were massed and as the Germans advanced the entire front was held.

News of a bold night raid by crack Uhlans came through today. Several squadrons circled the Belgian line and attempted a charge.

As the troopers came within

New Implements of War to be Tested in European Outbreak.



The British submarine, the German dirigible balloon and the French aeroplane will be the new implements of war to be used in the great European outbreak. While these have been in existence for some years they have not been really tested.

A few aeroplanes were used in the Balkan and Mexican wars, but to those peoples hardly emerged from barbarism and far behind in the

March of civilization such modern implements of war were not understood, much less appreciated.

In the tests of airships the Germans have stuck to the dirigible balloon following the lead of Count Zeppelin. The French, who quickly took to flying after the Wright brothers had shown the way, soon distanced the world, and they have carried experiments with the aeroplane much

farther than any other nation. While the German army is equipped with a number of dirigibles the French have many aeroplanes.

Experiments have been made by the British with both, but the invention with which they have had the most success is the submarine. They have many in their navy, and this will of course be the opportunity for their use.

WAR BULLETINS

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for the French government in a financial way. The Bank of France will transfer \$5,000,000 to Morgan, Hartjes & Co. immediately. Most of it will be available for the purchase of foodstuffs here when transportation is restored.

FALMOUTH, Eng., Aug. 6.—The German steamer Elbe was brought in here today by a British prize crew. She was captured by the Third destroyer division early today.

CALAIS, France, Aug. 6.—The big German tank steamer Czar Nicholas II was brought into port here today by a French destroyer.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 6.—Hundreds of German wounded are arriving at Maestricht today. Part of the wounded are being taken to the Red Cross hospital at Maestricht by automobile.

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Ten thousand stalwart Germans, members of the army reserve, threaten trouble for the German consul general if he does not find some way to get them to the front. They are besieging the offices here and gathering at the steamship piers in Hoboken, demanding that the Vaterland carry them across the ocean.

LONDON, Aug. 6.—The house of commons was this afternoon asked by Premier Asquith to authorize the recruiting of half a million additional soldiers. It is considered certain that the asked for authority will be granted by the immediate passage of an emergency bill.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Americans in the Austrian pleasure resorts of Carlsbad and Marienbad were promised safe transportation out of the country on special trains provided by the Austrian government, according to cable dispatches received at the state department today. The general suspension of traffic in Austria went into effect at midnight Wednesday. Whether Americans were able to get out of the country before transportation ceased is not known.

MRS. MARY SHORES DIES

Mrs. Mary J. Shores died at 1:30 this afternoon at the home of J. A. Thwing, 1625 Main street. Mrs. Shores was the mother of Mrs. Thwing and for the past few years has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Thwing. The funeral and interment will be held at Osseo, Wis., Sunday afternoon.

JENNINGS BEATEN

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 6.—Al Jennings, with his "beating back" plea, did not win the nomination for governor in the democratic state primaries Tuesday. The ex-bandit ran third in the race. R. L. Williams led.

MRS. WAKEFIELD TO PEN

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 6.—Mrs. Bessie Wakefield, convicted of second degree murder for complicity in the killing of her husband, was taken to Wethersfield today, where she will serve out the life sentence imposed upon her.

HALES NEIGHBOR TO COURT TODAY

William Wenkie, a Bangor farmer, was brought into county court this afternoon and charged with having pointed a gun at Mrs. Hannah Thomas, a neighbor, and using abusive language.

The quarrel arose when cattle belonging to Wenkie broke down the line fence between the two farms. Mrs. Thomas sent dogs after the cattle and drove them back on Wenkie's land. She says that Wenkie pointed a gun at her and talked to her abusively.

Wenkie pleaded not guilty. The case was continued until August 13.

MAIL BY U. S. BOAT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—All accumulated mail except for Austria and Germany will be shipped tomorrow from New York on the U. S. liner St. Paul, the postoffice department announced today. Mail on the Kron Prinzessin Cecilie will be transferred from Bar Harbor to catch the St. Paul.

The repairer of watches is the one man in all the world who rejoices when times are bad.

ALLEGED BURGLAR PLEADS HIS GUILT

Tom Hill to be Sentenced by Judge Higbee on Saturday Morning

Tom Hill, arrested on the north side Tuesday morning by Chief of Police John B. Webber and Detective Daniel Deneen and charged with burglarizing the saloon of P. J. Kelly, 420 Mill street, entered a plea of guilty before Judge John Brindley in county court this morning. Hill is also wanted by the authorities at La Crosse for alleged holdups and robberies of tramps in barns near that place.

Hill's alleged crime was beyond the jurisdiction of the county court. Hill will enter the same plea before Judge E. C. Higbee in circuit court Saturday morning.

Judge Higbee this morning granted a separation to Monroe Dansberry and Anna Dansberry.

The Kuhche and Klinken suits for divorce were continued until Saturday morning.

North Side Briefs

O'Neill Shoe Store. Pumps, shoes, 50c.

Mrs. Leslie Kinney and daughter Fay left yesterday for a few days' visit with friends and relatives in Wausau.

Miss Elizabeth Hayes left yesterday for St. Paul on business.

Mrs. John Blankley of Onalaska visited north side relatives yesterday.

The Messrs. Opsahl and B. J. Hovde, Decorah, Iowa, spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Simenson, 1626 Kane street.

Mrs. G. T. Morelli, 1019 Caledonia street, is visiting friends in Lansing, Iowa.

Mrs. S. B. Jones, 1226 Caledonia street, spent Wednesday in Bangor.

Mrs. John Zimmer, 616 Hagar St., is ill at one of the local hospitals.

Miss Louise Brown has returned to her home, 1219 North street, after attending the summer session of the state university.

Miss Mabel Pilger, 1823 Wood street, is the guest of relatives and friends in Hokah for a few days.

The Misses Doris and Nellie Rogers of Mankato are the guests of relatives and friends here for a few weeks.

Miss Maude Kneesel, 829 Avon street, is the guest of relatives and friends in La Crosse.

Miss Eva Roth, who has been confined to one of the local hospitals with illness, has been removed to her home, 1100 Berlin street.

Miss Esther Tuttle has returned to her home, 1623 Charles street, after a visit with friends and relatives in Bangor.

Miss Myrtle Olson has returned to her home, 1400 Berlin street, after a visit in Caledonia, Minn.

Miss Esther Marcou, 1007 Rose street, has returned from a visit in Chaseburg.

Miss Helen Thomas, Winona, is visiting north side friends.

O. Simenson, 1118 Gillette street, has returned from a business trip to Milwaukee.

Fred Fehling, Chicago, transacted business on the north side Wednesday.

O. D. Marcou, 1007 Rose street, has left for a business trip in Duluth and Superior.

MRS. CHAS. MARKES

DIES AT HER HOME

Mrs. Charles Markes, a member of the Syrian colony in La Crosse, died this morning at 5:30 at her home, 517 South Third street, after a long illness with carcinoma.

She is survived by her husband and three children besides her mother and seven sisters in the old country and four brothers in Canton, O. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

FORMS NEARLY DONE

Carpenters have been at work for more than a week building the forms for the concrete arch supports of the Rose street viaduct. At the close of work today, the forms were nearly ready for the concrete.

The supports will consist of two arches and will stand about fourteen feet from the level of the tracks. The steel work will bring the floor of the viaduct some twenty or twenty-five feet above the tracks.

PERU KEEPS COIN

LIMA, Aug. 6.—The Peru government today issued an order prohibiting the exportation of gold and silver.

ESCAPES BRITISH SHIPS

KEY WEST, Fla., Aug. 6.—The Standard Oil steamer, Sioux, putting in here today, reported a British war ship patrolling the gulf. The Sioux flies the German flag and came to Key West to escape capture.

HICKSCH EXECUTOR

W. J. Hiesch was this afternoon named special executor in county court for the purpose of satisfying a mortgage due the firm of Borreson Brothers from the estate of the late Henry Borreson.

Nervous Women

Are troubled with the "blues"—anxiety—sleeplessness—and warnings of pain and distress are sent by the nerves like flying messengers throughout body and limbs. Such feeling may or may not be accompanied by headache or dizziness or bearing down. The local disorders and inflammation, if there is any, should be treated with Dr. Pierce's Lotion Tablets. Then the nervous system and the entire womanly make-up feels the tonic effect of

DR. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription
Take this in liquid or tablet form and be a well woman!

Mrs. Eva Tyler of So. Geneva St., Ithaca, N. Y., says, "I have been in a run-down condition for several years. Suffered from nervousness and a great deal of pain at certain periods. Have taken several different medicines but found your 'Favorite Prescription' has given me the most relief of anything I have ever tried. Am very much better than I have been in some time. I gladly recommend this remedy to any woman in need of a tonic." Write Dr. R. W. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate stomach, liver, bowels

In Girlhood Womanhood Motherhood

IN ORDER TO MAKE ROOM

For Fall Heating Stovees, we must sell 12 Gas Ranges at reduced price. We have

1 only, Cabinet Range; parts enameled white; glass oven door; very latest pattern; elevated oven, price \$35.00. Price now	\$31.00
1 only, Cabinet Range; glass oven door; elevated oven; latest pattern; price \$30.00 now	\$26.50
1 only, Cabinet Range; latest pattern; price \$28.00 now	\$24.50
1 only, Cabinet Range; latest pattern; price \$25.00; now	\$21.00
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These are all 1914 Stoves, but we need the floor space for our big line of Ranges and Heaters.

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THE "WAR LORD" OF GERMANY, MOUNTED ON HIS HORSE, ALL READY FOR THE FRAY



Kaiser Wilhelm and his commander-in-chief, Count von Moltke.

This is a new photograph of the German war lord, mounted on his favorite charger, and showing below the commander-in-chief of the German fighting force, Count von Moltke.

PARIS AMERICANS SAFE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Ambassador Herrick today cabled the state department from Paris as follows: "Financial condition of Americans in France is practically relieved. I would suggest that the money on the Tennessee be used to assist Americans in other parts of Europe."

GLASS OF SALTS CLEANS KIDNEYS

If your Back hurts or Bladder bothers you, drink lots of water.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salt which removes the body's urinous waste and stimulates them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate clogged kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder weakness. Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which every one should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this, also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. Chas. A. Boy, druggist, 503 Main street.

NO TULIPS IN CITY IF WAR CONTINUES

Are La Crosse parks to have tulips next spring? If the European war keeps up, they probably will not have. According to Park Superintendent J. H. Forrer, an order for 23,000 Dutch bulbs, placed with Holland firms, will not reach La Crosse in time for planting unless hostilities across the sea cease soon.

RESERVISTS NUMBER 41,600

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Forty-one thousand six hundred first-class fighting men are here clamoring to get back to Europe. They are the men called to the colors by Austria, Germany, France, Great Britain, Serbia, Russia, Belgium and Holland. Austria leads with 19,000 men.

The chances of this fighting force ever getting back home is lessened each day. Great Britain expects to get her reservists back and France has already started some on the Lorraine.

STOP CONTRABAND

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today ordered battleships, destroyers and cruisers at New York, Philadelphia, Lewes, Delaware and Hampton Roads to see that the president's neutrality proclamation is enforced.

"These vessels will see that no foreign ships are loaded with contraband cargo," Daniel said.

NORTH CAROLINA AID SHIP

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—Secretary Daniels announced today that the armored cruiser North Carolina will sail for Europe probably tomorrow. She will carry gold and coal as an American relief ship.

A pessimistic Opinion.
"The good die young." Perhaps it is just as well. They'd starve to death today.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

BIG BATTLE NOT YET FOUGHT OUT IN THE NORTH SEA

Germans Reported to be In-shore Under Guns of Harbor Forts Either at Kiel or Mouth of Elbe

MINOR ENGAGEMENTS REPORTED

Scout Cruisers and Destroyers Clash in Channel and North Sea But Results Are Trifling

THE BRITISH SEIZE MANY SHIPS

Declares They Have Captured 75 Merchant Vessels of Germany Since War Was Declared

BY ED L. KEEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
LONDON, England, Aug. 6.—

While Belgian soldiers are holding in check an army of more than 100,000 Germans commanded by the crown prince and driving them back with heavy slaughter, British and French war ships are sweeping the seas clear of German merchantmen. Already the momentary loss to German shipping interests is in the millions. Seventy-five prizes of war are in British ports. A score are in French.

Up to the present time Germany has made no attempt to strike at England in force. Her great war fleet is off Wilhelmshaven, guarded by dirigibles and under protection of the land forts. The preliminary fighting between the naval forces has been confined to running fighting by destroyers, scout cruisers and mine ships. A German and an English mine ship has been sunk. The entire English crew was lost. Twenty-two Germans, wounded, were taken prisoners when the German craft sank.

Despite the secrecy of the admiralty it is considered certain that the British war fleet is about to strike. The first fight will hardly be decisive. With the German armada protected by land forts, it would be suicide for Admiral Callaghan to attack in force. He will probably undertake a feint with destroyers and possibly with submarines against the German base, which, roughly speaking, is a triangle with Wilhelmshaven, Kiel, and Helgoland as the points. The activity of the admiralty indicates that it is expecting such action almost immediately. The North Sea ports have been equipped with doctors, nurses, and medical supplies and are ready to care for all wounded.

The censorship tightened up today. All messages which gave details of impending operations were barred. The business situation has cleared. The Bank of England rate is now only six per cent and the people generally accepted the government's advice and there was no run on the savings banks when they reopened for business today.

Old Joke Books.

Jest books long antedate the comic paper. The imprint of one volume, dated 1687, runs: "England's Jestes Revid and Improvd." Being a Choice Collection of the Merriest Jestes, Smartest Repartees, Wittiest Sayings and Most Notable Bulls yet Extant. * * * Calculated for the Innocent Spending of the Winter Evenings." Another seventeenth century joke book shows the antiquity of the Irish bull. This is entitled "Teagueland Jestes, or Bogg Witticisms. Being a Compleat Collection of the Most Learned Bulls, Elaborate Quibbles, and Wise Sayings of some of the Natives of Teagueland, till the year 1688."

GERMANS FOLLOW RUSSIAN FLEET AND SHELL PORT

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 6.—Germany is carrying her war against the Russians to the sea. The German fleet which chased the Russian warships into the Gulf of Finland is today attacking the forts at Sveaborg, at the entrance of the Gulf of Finland. It is supposed that they are clearing the way for an attack on the Russian fleet which is now bottled up in the gulf and possibly for a dash against Revel.

The army is only one of many places where orders are unpleasant and have to be obeyed.

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HEARD LUSITANIA CALLING FOR HELP

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—The oil tank steamer Tonawanda, arriving from London and Antwerp reported that the liner Lusitania had signalled for help yesterday. The wireless operator of the tank ship said he heard the Lusitania calling and then heard her tell the British cruiser Essex that she was being followed by a cruiser. The Essex set out in search of the hostile vessel.

101 RANCH PICTURES

The west as it really was and as it is today will be shown in pictures today and tomorrow at the Star theatre. The pictures are taken from the Miller Brothers' Ranch of 113,000 acres in Oklahoma. The picture is intensely interesting, and educational in that many of the scenes depict early scenes in the early years of the west. Guns and other relics of the early days will be shown today at the theatre.

The Interpreter.

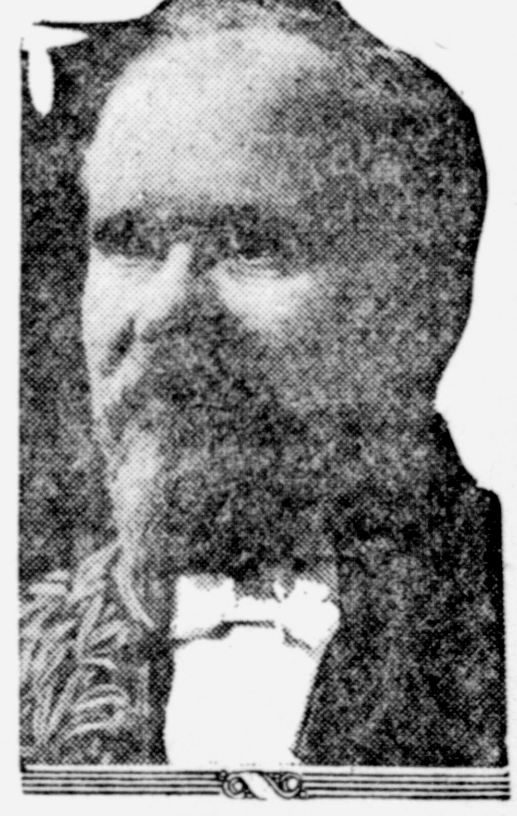
It is to be expected perhaps that babies will become brighter and brighter as the human race progresses in intellectual development.

"He is such a clever little dear," the fond mother explained. "He had never been told what flowers were, but the moment he saw them he said, 'Bwobs.'"

"Really! And what does 'bwobs' mean?" inquired the caller.

"Why, flowers, of course."—Lippincott's.

POINCARE SORRY HE CAN'T LEAD RIFLES



President Poincare

President Poincare of France did not want war, but after it started he said his only regret was that the cares of his office made it impossible for him to lead his company of Alpine riflemen. He is the ninth president of the third French republic.

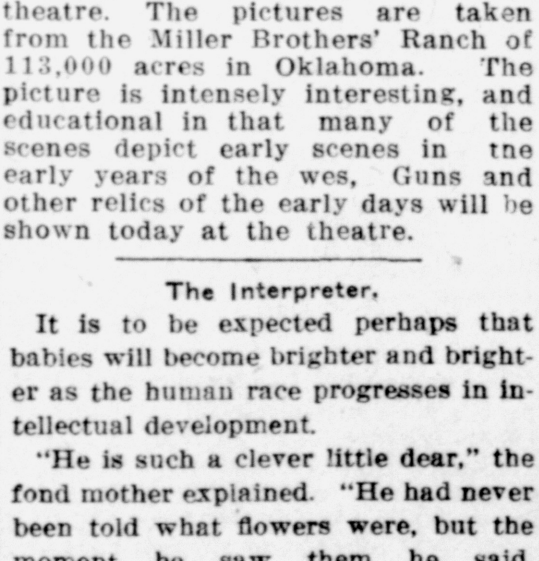
PRESIDENT ASKS SILENCE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.—The president today addressed to the secretaries of war and navy a letter requesting them to advise all officers of the service to refrain from public comment of any kind upon the military or political situation in Europe.

TO REBUILD BRIDGES

To arrange for funds to rebuild certain La Crosse county bridges washed out during the heavy rains and floods of the early summer, a call has been made for a special meeting of the county supervisors. The meeting will be held on August 19.

WHERE EMPEROR WILLIAM KEEPS HIS GOLD



The Julius Tower at Spandau

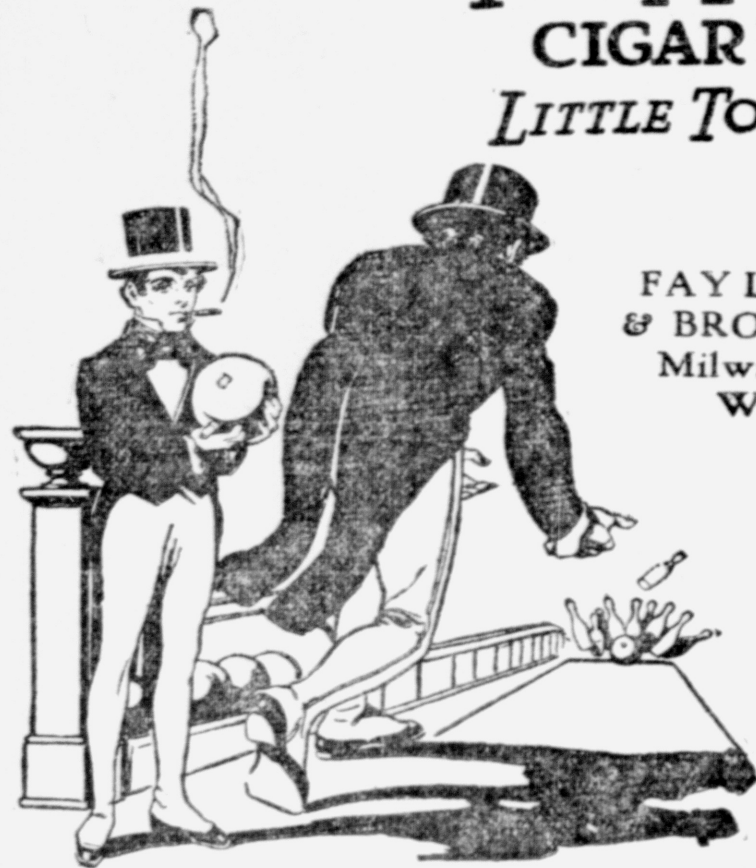
Ever since the close of the Franco-Prussian war, in 1871, a closely guarded tower has been used as a storehouse for Germany's war chest. Of the \$1,000,000,000 wrung from France by Bismarck as an indemnity to Germany, \$30,000,000 (120,000,000 marks) in gold was placed in the Julius tower.

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SPORTS

WALTER JOHNSON DOWNED BY NAPS

Blanding Has Better of Battle at Naptown, Both Allowing Nine Hits

TIGERS LAMBASTED BY YANKS

Chicago Beaten by Tesreau By 3 to 0 Score; Giants Play Errorless Ball

Cleveland 3, Washington 2
Score: ..100001000—2 9 1
Cleveland ..200000001—3 9 4
Batteries: Johnson and Williams; Blanding and Eagon.

New York 14, Detroit 4
Score: ..220216010—14 19 1
New York ..003001000—4 9 5
Detroit ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Keating, Caldwell, McHale and Sweeney; J. Williams, Boehler, Cavet and Baker.

Philadelphia 7, Chicago 4
Score: ..002000005—7 12 2
Philadelphia ..200000002—4 9 4
Chicago ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Bush and Schang; Cotte, Wolfgang and Schalk.

Boston 6, St. Louis 0
Score: ..031010001—6 11 0
Boston ..000000000—0 0 0
St. Louis ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Leonard and Carrigan; Leverenz, Hoch and Crossin.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York 3, Chicago 0
Score: ..000000000—0 3 1
New York ..20100000x—3 6 0
Batteries: Lavendar and Archer; Tesreau and Meyers.

St. Louis 4, Brooklyn 0
Score: ..020020000—4 9 0
St. Louis ..000000000—0 6 2
Brooklyn ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Doak and Snyder; Reulbach, Atchison and McCarty.

Boston 4, Pittsburgh 0
Score: ..000000000—0 4 3
Boston ..10000111x—4 6 1
Pittsburgh ..000000000—0 7 2
Batteries: O'Toole, Kintler and Gibson; James and Gowdy.

Philadelphia 5, Cincinnati 0
Score: ..000000000—0 7 0
Philadelphia ..00000050x—5 10 2
Cincinnati ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Schneider, Clark and Gonzales; Meyer and Killifer.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Brooklyn 4, Kansas City 3
Score: ..100000200—3 8 1
Brooklyn ..11001100x—4 9 2
Kansas City ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Stone, Harris, Adams and Easterly; Seaton and Land.

Indianapolis 5, Buffalo 4
Score: ..200010002—5 7 1
Indianapolis ..100100200—4 9 4
Buffalo ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Mosley, Billard and Rariden; Schulz and Blair.

Chicago 4, Baltimore 0
Score: ..002000010—4 11 1
Chicago ..000000000—0 5 2
Baltimore ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Hendrix and Clemens; Wilhelm, Conley and Jacklitsch.

St. Louis 3, Pittsburgh 2
Score: ..000003000—3 6 0
St. Louis ..000002000—2 7 1
Pittsburgh ..000000000—0 0 0
Batteries: Groom and Simon; Leclair, Walter, Kerr and Berry.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD BY HAL SHERIDAN

Can you beat it? The Naps—very much tail enders—bumped the mighty Walter Johnson a beating. They bumped him for nine solid wallops.

Jeff Tesreau surely is no false alarm as a bear hunter. He handed nine Chicago bruins a very thorough trimming, allowing them but three hits and nary a run.

Bill James did not cost the Boston Nationals \$22,500 but he twirled rings around Marty O'Toole, said to have set back Pittsburgh that much.

Stallings' club made it eight straight wins, by the way. The White Sox were mighty happy—for eight innings. For that length of time they dreamed they were beating the Athletics. In the ninth Mack turned his heavy artillery loose and five of his troopers crossed the pan, netting them an easy victory.

Leonard's flinging allowed the Red Sox to defeat the Browns. A. RANKIN JOHNSON IS CHIEF

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6.—A. Rankin Johnson, star young hurler of the American league, who jumped to the Chicago Federals when the Boston Red Sox traded him to Cleveland, joined Tinker's outfit here yesterday. Johnson declared that before jumping to the Federals he consulted Walter Johnson of the Senators. The latter advised him to accept Tinker's terms, he said, declaring that he considered the Federals as strong as either of the two big leagues.

Alas!

After a prize baby has been photographed in nothing in particular it takes but a short time for the little darling to reach years of annoyance.—Chicago News.

Frederick William, German Crown Prince

Standing Of Clubs

American Association	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	64	49	.566
Milwaukee	62	48	.564
Cleveland	58	54	.518
Columbus	55	53	.509
Kansas City	56	55	.505
Indianapolis	57	57	.500
Minneapolis	53	59	.473
St. Paul	40	70	.364

American League	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	63	34	.650
Boston	56	44	.560
Washington	54	44	.551
Detroit	52	49	.515
St. Louis	48	50	.490
Chicago	48	52	.480
New York	44	56	.440
Cleveland	33	69	.324

National League	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	55	37	.598
Chicago	52	45	.536
St. Louis	52	47	.525
Boston	48	45	.516
Philadelphia	45	49	.479
Cincinnati	46	51	.474
Brooklyn	40	51	.440
Pittsburgh	40	53	.430

Federal League	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	57	42	.576
Baltimore	51	42	.549
Brooklyn	49	41	.544
Indianapolis	50	43	.538
Buffalo	46	47	.495
Kansas City	44	45	.494
Pittsburgh	40	53	.430
St. Louis	42	56	.429

Wisconsin-Illinois League	W.	L.	Pct.
Oshkosh	51	31	.622
Green Bay	49	36	.576
Racine	47	37	.560
Twin Cities	44	40	.524
Madison	44	42	.512
Appleton	41	43	.488
Rockford	37	48	.435
Wausau	26	58	.310

GAMES YESTERDAY

American Association
Milwaukee, 5-3; Cleveland, 4-1.
Minneapolis, 8-8; Indianapolis, 7-2.
Louisville, 4; St. Paul, 3.
Columbus-Kansas City, no game; rain.

American League
Boston, 6; St. Louis, 0.
New York, 14; Detroit, 4.
Philadelphia, 7; Chicago, 2.
Cleveland, 3; Washington, 2.

National League
Boston, 4; Pittsburgh, 0.
New York, 3; Chicago, 0.
Philadelphia, 5; Cincinnati, 0.
St. Louis, 4; Brooklyn, 0.

Federal League
Brooklyn, 4; Kansas City, 3.
St. Louis, 3; Pittsburgh, 2.
Chicago, 4; Baltimore, 0.
Indianapolis, 5; Buffalo, 4.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Oshkosh, 8; Twin Cities, 1.
Madison, 5; Green Bay, 1.
Rockford, 5; Appleton, 1.
Racine, 7; Wausau, 1.

GAMES TODAY

American Association
Cleveland at Milwaukee.
Columbus at Kansas City.
Indianapolis at Minneapolis.
Louisville at St. Paul.

American League
No games scheduled.
National League
St. Louis at Brooklyn.
Chicago at New York.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.

Federal League
Kansas City at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.
Chicago at Baltimore.
Indianapolis at Buffalo.

Wisconsin-Illinois League
Twin Cities at Oshkosh.
Green Bay at Madison.
Appleton at Rockford.
Wausau at Racine.

What Noah Overlooked.

If Noah had swatted those two flies as they started up the ark's gangplank he would have saved a heap of trouble.

Concession.

"Is this a first-class restaurant?" asked the haughty individual. "Oh, yes," answered the waiter; "but we will serve you."—Los Angeles Times.

IN BOYVILLE



OUR GUP DEFENDER.

SPOTLIGHTS

K. C. CHORAL CLUB

The Knights of Columbus Choral club of St. Louis is a musical organization that has succeeded remarkably well in pleasing its audiences, composed as they usually are of many tastes. The music sung by this club covers the field of composition from the severe, also liturgical music, to the simple folk songs of many nations.

The work of this club shows a masterful interpretation of its director, Wm. Theo. Diebels, and his painstaking watchfulness and control of all of the details which go to make for perfect work and to produce ideal chorus results so zealously sought after by all chorus organizations.

If you quarrel with every person you deal with the world is all right and you are all wrong.

MRS. GONDERZICK ENTERTAINS CIRCLE

TOMAH, Wis., Aug. 6.—Mrs. Anna Gonderzick entertained the Ladies of the Catholic Sewing Circle at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ole Alton returned Tuesday after a visit in Mather. Mrs. Somers and daughter Ruth of Norway Ridge spent Tuesday in Tomah.

Mrs. Edith Barber and family of Warrens motored to Tomah on business Tuesday.

Rev. Louis Wurst has taken a leave of absence from Tomah for two weeks and is making a trip to St. Louis, Mo.

J. Flood of Kendall is attending summer school here for two weeks. John Brahmer, traveling salesman, spent Tuesday in Tomah.

J. Steele of Warrens made a business trip to Tomah Tuesday. Ed Callahan, Wausau, roadmaster, was a Tomah caller Tuesday. Fred Dostader, Wisconsin Valley

conductor of Wausau, spent Tuesday with friends in Tomah.

Wallace Stokes of Eau Claire is visiting at the home of Mrs. G. O. Murray.

Mrs. Cody returned to her home Tuesday after visiting friends in Wonevot.

The Tomah band gave its weekly concert Wednesday evening at the Indian school.

Dr. W. Bartells and family who are camping at Tomah Lake, motored to Tomah Tuesday.

Wanted Him Solemn.

"Mamma," exclaimed little Elsie, "I know something awful about our minister!"

"Why, what is it, dear?" asked her mother in surprise.

"Why," continued Elsie, "he was talking to a man on the street today, and I heard him laugh right out loud."—Chicago News.

LEE BACK FROM LAKE GENEVA

H. A. Lee, physical director at the Y. M. C. A., has returned from Lake Geneva, where he attended the five weeks course of the Y. M. C. A. College and School of Physical Education of Chicago. Mr. Lee made the trip to and from Lake Geneva on motorcycle, on his return stopping at the Dells of Wisconsin at Kilbourn.

SCOUT HIKE POSTPONED

Owing to the fact that a majority of the boy scouts of the city are either out of town or are employed and unable to get off, the hike to Coon Valley, planned for next Saturday, has been postponed indefinitely, at least until the opening of school. Several smaller hikes will be taken, however, in the meantime.

Happiness.

I have lived to know that the secret of happiness is never to allow your energies to stagnate.—Adam Clark.



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By C. A. Voight



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WANTED—Young man to act as buss man. Hotel dining room, Stoddard Hotel. 8 6 8.

WANTED—Boy, must be neat appearing. New Process Cleaners. 8 6 11.

LARGE EASTERN life company offers money-making, long term contract to a salesman desiring a permanent and growing agency business. Pension for life after 20 years' service. Territory in western Wisconsin. References required. N. C. Tribune, La Crosse. 8 3 7.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Lady solicitors Make \$3. Inquire, Mr. Atlas, 116 N. 3rd St. Room 7. 8 5 6.

WANTED—Kitchen girls at the Stoddard Hotel. 8 5 7.

WANTED—Competent maid, general housework. No washing. Good wages. Inquire M. F. Platz, 314 So. 15th. 8 4 11.

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. 426 No. 11th. New phone 1112-C. 8 4 7.

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 410 Cameron Ave. 8 5 7.

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FOR RENT—8 room modern house and 5 room cottage, 921 Vine. New Phone 1197-M. 8 4 6.

ROOMS with board in private family. 149 So. 6th. New phone 591-M. 7 31 8 30.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 714 Cass. 7 30 11.

FOR RENT—Modern five room flat. Inquire 623 Pine. 8 1 11.

FOR RENT—Six rooms. Call at 713 Ferry. 7 28 11.

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FOR SALE—1913 Twin cylinder Harley-Davidson motor cycle. Cheap if taken at once. 1223 Kane St. 8 5 7.

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FOR SALE—Light team of horses and three seated buggy. Inquire 1317 So. 4th St. 8 4 10.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—A 20 foot motor boat, torpedo model. Seating capacity, 8 people. 2 cyl. 8 h. p. Gray engine. All overhauled, like new; top curtains; cushions. Old Phone 6351. 8 3 8.

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WIDOW, 34 years of age with two little girls, would like position as housekeeper or cooking. Will accept any kind respectable work. Address M. M. Tribune. 8 5 7.

WANTED—A touring car. Cheap. New Phone, 368-M. 8 4 6.

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BOILER, 30 h. p., \$125. N. N. Lahn. 5 13 11.

FOR SALE—\$300 piano, slightly used. Will sell for \$150 if taken at once. Call 502 Cass St. 8 6 11.

FOR SALE—175 acre farm in good condition, near creamery. Address F. care of Tribune. 7 15 w th fr 8 15

FOR SALE—18 ft. launch, 2 cyl. 5 h. p., automobile top. In first class condition for season, boat house. 1224-M new phone. 6 19 11.

FOR SALE—20 acre fruit farm, good buildings. Price reasonable. For particulars write Geo. Strupp, Dakota, Minn. 8 1 14.

NEW NATIONAL CASH REGISTER for sale. Peter Newburg Clothing House. 7 31 8 6.

FOR SALE—Dray outfit. Inquire 317 Jay street. 7 30 8 8.

FOR SALE—Household goods. 613 Mill street. 7 30 11.

FOR SALE—Yearling Jersey heifer, well bred; also a Scotch collie male. Phone old 9261, new 1672-M. 7 29 11.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 28 foot motor boat. 607 Adams. 7 29 8 11.

FOR SALE—Second hand upright piano. New phone 1050-A. 7 24 11.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Residence, 1615 Mississippi street. Address Holl, care Tribune. 7 24 8 6.

LOTS FOR SALE cheap on 13th, between Adams and Farnam. Joseph Boschert, Nat'l Bank of La Crosse. 7 20 8 19.

FOR SALE

DOERFLINGER'S.

YOU PAY LESS HERE

Window Screen

5c Buys Window Screen, Hard-wood extension, value 15c

Clothes Prop

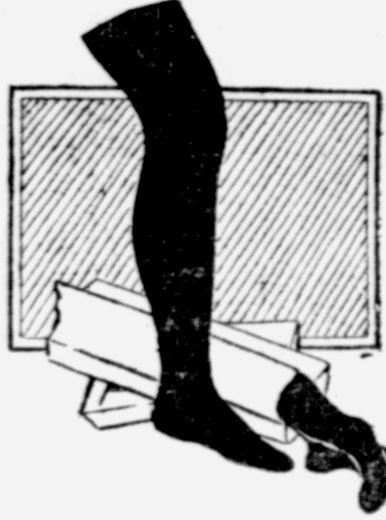
5c Buys Clothes Prop, 8 ft. length, value 15c

Drugs, Domestics and Notions

Clarke's Mile-end Machine Thread, spool . . . **4c**
Cuticura Soap, 25c cake, at . . . **19c**
Packer's Tar Soap 25c cake, at . . . **19c**

BIG CLEARANCE SALE OF WOMEN'S HIGH GRADE HOSIERY**BEGINS FRIDAY AND CONTINUES UNTIL SOLD**

In order to make room for our Fall goods now coming in, we will close out a lot of summer weights in cotton and lisle Hosiery also some of the discontinued Fall weights at following prices:



A Lot of 25c numbers, mostly Black also a few split sole Hose, at per pair

15c

A Lot of 35c and 50c numbers consisting of fine lisle and mercerized lises, also out-size numbers, at per pair

25c**A Few 75c and 89c Silk Hose at 49c****DOERFLINGER'S.**

YOU PAY LESS HERE

Ammonia

4c Buys Bottle Ammonia, 14 degree, value 10c

Clothes Pins

3c Buys 50 Hard-wood CLOTHES PINS

10c Candies Popular Novels

Spiced Strings and Drops . . . **10c**
Chocolate Drops, just fresh, per lb . . . **10c**
Peanut Squares, nice and crisp, per lb. . . . **10c**

Latest Popular Copyright Novels, each . . . **49c**
Latest Copyright Novels, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values . . . **98c**

Toasted Marshmallows, the good kind, lb. . . **10c**
Popular Copyright Novels, each . . . **25c**

Kaiser Wilhelm and His Six Sons Parading Through Berlin Streets

From Left to Right: The Kaiser, Crown Prince Frederick William, Prince Eitel Friedrich, Prince Adalbert, Prince August, Prince Oscar and Prince Joachim

Just before the European crisis came Kaiser Wilhelm and his six sons paraded at the head of a military procession through the streets of Berlin and excited wild enthusiasm. Not only the Kaiser himself but the Berlin people are proud of the six sons. Each in his uniform, with the Kaiser at their right, make a striking picture.

MISS JOLIVETTE IS U. S. BIOLOGY SHARP

Miss Hattie J. M. Jolivet, a sister of Bert A. Jolivet, county clerk, and formerly a resident of La Crosse, will spend a part of tomorrow in La Crosse while on her way from the University of Washington, where she has been a teacher to Washington, D. C.

Miss Jolivet has been connected

with the University of Washington, situated at Pullman, Wash., in the capacity of teacher of biology in the department of agriculture.

She will now be employed by the government at Washington as a biology expert.

The Great Mogul.

The man known to history as the Great Mogul was Aurangzeb, emperor of Hindustan, born 1618. He was the son of the shah of Jehan and became master of twenty-one provinces and a revenue of \$200,000,000.

U. S. TO PREVENT WATERLAND LEAVING

NEW YORK, Aug. 6.—Having hastily coaled upon receipt of orders from Washington, the Dreadnought Florida sailed from Brooklyn navy yard today. Her instructions are said to be to wait outside Sandy Hook for sealed orders from the navy department.

The belief was expressed in

shipping circles that the Florida had been ordered to stand guard outside the Hook to prevent the giant liner Vaterland from slipping out as did the Kron Prinz Wilhelm. Although the Hamburg-American line officials insist there is no intention of having the Vaterland sail, reports persist that she will endeavor to leave the harbor as an armored destroyer of commerce. The Wilhelm is reported to have held up a British freighter off Cape Henry.

BOYS AND WOMEN DO WORK IN PARIS

Society Belles Clerk in Shops and Young Boys Are Guards on the Trains

PAPERS SUSPEND PUBLICATION

All the Staffs Have Gone to the Front—Only Men Left in the City Are Greybeards

By WILLIAM PHILIP SIMMS (United Press Staff Correspondent)
PARIS, Aug. 6.—The women of Paris rose today to the emergency created by drafting men of the city for the army. Society women took the place of men clerks in stores to sell necessities. Young girls sold tickets in the underground stations. Others acted as waitresses in cafes. Grocery stores and meat shops were run by women. Small boys were put on as guards on the underground trains. The motormen are aged, gray-haired men, ineligible for service in the army. Paris enjoys the novelty of women doing men's

work, and the women apparently do too.

The fashionable stores on the Rue de la Paix are nearly all closed. Parisian "creations" can be bought almost for nothing, but the Americans here are not purchasing, first because of the difficulty in obtaining cash, and, second, because railroads are refusing to take anything but hand baggage. A score or more of the big Paris hotels were forced to close today owing to a lack of help.

The war has leveled all classes. French society women have taken into their homes the destitute wives and children of private soldiers ordered to the front. The American adventurer gets the same treatment from the American embassy as the millionaire. James Gordon Bennett, millionaire owner of the New York Herald, is acting as a reporter for his newspaper.

The rush of Americans to the embassy abated somewhat today. Ambassador and Mrs. Herrick estimate that all Americans in the city have now been provided with the police passports required. There is always a crowd at the embassy, however, to hear whether any definite arrangements have been made for the return of Americans to the states. It was observed last night that Thomas Ryan, son of the American millionaire, and Oscar Underwood, son of the senator from Alabama, had to take their place in a line of Americans who desired to see the ambassador. Mrs. Howard, sister of President Wilson, stood hours in the line.

Up to today 3,500 Americans had registered at the embassy.

Nearly all Paris newspapers have suspended owing to lack of print paper and answering of the call to the colors of their staffs of reporters, editors, and printers. Le Matin, however, appeared today, in single sheet form. Prominent on the front page from an offer from Paul Maurice Charnier, a flag maker, to give \$1,000 to the first soldier, private or officer, who captures a German standard.

A Fight Between Moles.

Pugnacity is not usually counted among the mole's attributes, but I have seen a couple of them fight like bulldogs, tumbling about, squeaking and not quitting their hold of each other's throat until they were lifted off the ground by a stick passed between them and smartly shaken.—From "A Farmer's Notebook," by C. E. D. Phelps.

Rivals Her Daughter in Youthful Beauty

A well-known society matron whose youthful beauty is so well preserved that she is regarded as her daughter's rival in this respect—though she does not pose as such—attributes her girlish complexion chiefly to two things. She says: "I am convinced that many cosmetics, by overloading the skin and pores, tend to age the complexion. Mercolized wax has just the opposite effect. It keeps the pores clean, permitting them to breathe, and remove dead particles of uticle which are constantly appearing and which give the complexion that faded look. Whenever my skin begins to get the least bit off-color, muddy or tanned, I go to my druggist's for an ounce of mercolized wax. I apply this nightly, like cold cream, for a week or so, washing it off mornings. This is what keeps my complexion so fresh, white and velvety, even during the trying days of summer.

I owe to the use of a simple face bath prepared by dissolving one ounce of powdered saxolite in a half pint witch hazel. This keeps the skin tight and firm."—Social Register.

THIRTY-EIGHT DIE AS TRAINS CRASH

Victims Pinned Beneath Wreckage Are Roasted When Gasoline Tank Fires Car

MOTORCAR HITS RAILROAD TRAIN

Runs Past Meeting Point and Crashes Into Locomotives on Sharp Curve

JOPLIN, Mo., Aug. 6. — Thirty-eight persons are dead, and more than a score injured, some fatally, the result of a collision last night between a gasoline motor car of the Missouri & Northern Arkansas railroad and a passenger train on the tracks of the Kansas City Southern railroad, eleven miles south of here.

Nineteen charred bodies, out of the thirty-eight recovered from the wreckage, had been identified early today. Twenty-five were injured several of whom may die.

The wreckage of the motor car caught fire from the exploding gasoline tank and the victims pinned in the debris were burned alive while fellow passengers looked on unable to aid and listen to their frantic cries for help.

The trains, both of which use the Kansas City Southern tracks from Neosho to Joplin, were ordered to pass at Tilton. The motor car ran by and the trains met on a sharp curve.

None of the Southern's passengers were killed.

The known dead are: Herbert Ratcliffe, Eureka Springs, Ark., engineer; Frank Bradley, Eureka Springs, Ark., brakeman; Mrs. C. L. Eshleman, Dewey, Okla.; W. H. Embry, Granby, Mo.; L. H. Crumbaugh, Neosho, Mo., livestock agent, Kansas City Southern; H. A. Nicholas, Harrison, Ark., conductor; Mrs. George Johannes, Nevada, Mo.; T. C. Luscombe, Joplin, Mo.; Dora and Faye Harmon, children of Mrs. J. M. Harmon; Bart Johnson, Oklahoma City; Mrs. Lorin McClary, Carterville, Mo.; E. D. Galthright, Pullman conductor, Nevada, Mo.; Mrs. Lindsey and son, Joplin, Mo., negroes; two negro children.

It is better to make hay while the sun shines than to write poetry about it.

IS LA CROSSE SATISFIED?

The Evidence Is Convincing. The Testimony Open to Investigation

Before a statement can be accepted here, it must be supported by local testimony—by the evidence of someone residing in La Crosse. Statements from unknown people in remote places may be true, but we cannot prove them. Here is a statement by a La Crosse resident:

John N. Wiggert, 1114 Third St. La Crosse, Wis., says: "I suffered from kidney complaint and a hard, dull pain in my back and kidneys. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and had good relief. I am pleased to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills, as I know that they are a remedy of merit and can be relied upon to cure kidney complaint."

If your back aches—if your kidneys bother you, don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—ask distinctly for Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Wiggert had—the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores, Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

BRINGING UP FATHER

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